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Schoolgirl Bouts

Kakuji Fujita

女子格闘技

Fujita ka ku ji

The young girl was recognized by the woman afterwards.

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Artemis, the women's martial arts championship to decide the strongest teen; Bout 4

The player to watch has appeared!

Her career was in jeopardy due to injury,

Having sealed off all striking, she's returned with new prey.

No one escapes her deadly embrace.

Artemis's 'Grim Reaper' will build another tombstone tonight!!!

Last year's Nagano Prefecture representative

Tatsuno Minowa!

Roman Death God
Round.01

Amazing!

What? Artemis yesterday?

Fell! Fell!!!!

No!

See? Told you so.

Mr. Kobutsu, I'll treat you to lunch.

Betting on 'The Grim Reaper' to lose is foolish~

Four consecutive wins after returning~

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He doesn't use his striking power at all, and that's what's great about him.

And that neat face! I want to be strangled by that expressionless face!

I'm sure that kid will win this year's Grand Prix!!!

I agree!

Hmmm...

I wonder...

I wonder if something serious is wrong.

Aren't your muscles moving awkwardly?

Like here, see?

I'm really going to fall~!

Drop it, drop it!

Everyone's taking a seat.

Guys who try to act smart by saying things different from everyone else...

What are you talking about? I'm moving like crazy and winning!

We have two transfer students today, so

It's morning homeroom, so

Everyone will definitely be surprised!

Hey

See? Surprised, aren't you?

No way!

Why are you at a public high school like this...?

It's Artemis's 'Grim Reaper'!

Wow, she's cuter than on TV!

Whoa... our eyes met!

The one next to her is the second fighter, right!?

Are you looking at me?

No way,

Or rather,

I'll take a picture later!

So cute

I'm glad I'm in this class~

Look, Tatsuno, say hello...

...Yam-chan, I'm going to go say hello.

Eun

I'm Yamagata Asahi! Nice to meet you!

Let's do that later~!

Tatsuno~!

Tatsu-

Sh-

Takao Kobutsu

I was looking for you.

Why me...?!

Huh?

Whoa!

Huh?

He said he'd accompany me.

I'm not feeling well, so I'm going to the nurse's office.

What the heck is this~!

W-wait a minute!

Wait, Tatsuno~!

He said he was looking for you.

How do you know Kobutusu's name?

That bastard!

It's free.

Health care

Excuse me, sir. It'll be over soon...

Hey!

Shh

Huh?

Pull your chin in tight and clench your teeth

Wha-

What are you doing...

!!

!!

What are you doing...?

!!

ぐ……

Tatsuno!

Minowa-san!

My knee popped out

Whenever I strike, this always happens...

This bruise...!!

Knee! Pervert!

This... Don't tell me!?

...Can you fix it?

Mr. Takao Kobutsu of the Kobutsu-ryu Chiropractic Method

Nn...

It's about my knee, right? Treatment, treatment!

I'll put it in...

Ah...

Huh?

More...

Um...

No...

Please...

Tatsuno!

I asked you to examine other places too

The place that person touched...

Yamachan, stop it

There's no way I could have mistaken you.

That distinctive birthmark...

...to resort to such a forbidden technique...

The scars from a dangerous procedure that brings both powerful effects and terrible side effects.

It's my old man.

That person appeared.

When Tatsuno was undergoing rehabilitation aiming to make a comeback...

I'll make it so you can fight again.

...the words were true.

But...

My joints became so unstable that they dislocate whenever I use my fists.

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Even though Grandpa disowned me...

You're still doing that...

Using the name Kobutsu-ryu Seitaijutsu [Kobutu-style Osteopathic Manipulation] as a clue.

I finally found you.

I need you...

Become my exclusive chiropractor.

I can't do that

Sorry!

N

Easy

#1 Bottom

Hey, hey, listen to me for a sec.

Your old man hurt Tatsuno, didn't he? You take responsibility!

It's forbidden to use Kobutsu-ryu techniques on others!

I'm an apprentice. Basic massage is one thing, but...

Besides, it's impossible...

I still can't fix up the old man's treatment.

I think I'll just make it worse...

Understood. I'll wait for now...

...For now, when school's out...

When Grandpa gets back, I'll ask him myself.

I'm working mainly overseas right now, so I can't say when...

Then what happens to Tatsuno!?

#7

Fight!!

#7

He's a player they call "The Wolf of the Metropolis"

The director here made it to the Best 8 in the Artemis West Tokyo block last year.

Whoa! ...I'm getting a lot of attention...

Hrii

Well, yeah.

Oraah

It's Artemis's grim reaper who came.

Fight!

Yes!

Shoichi
Your
voices!?

Fiiiiight!

Your
voices
are
too
quiet!

It's true
that
'grim
reaper'
transferred
here.

I am
Miwa
Machida,
the Kaki
Director.

Tatsu's
greeting...

...You're a second-year student, right?

They are my personal trainer and my chiropractor.

And those two?

I'm Tatsuno Minowa.

When you become a third-year student, it's practice for matches!

You can only have an attendant starting from the third year!

Second-year students are partners for third-year students' mitt training.

First-year students focus on basic physical training, vocal exercises, and chores for the third-year students.

...High school only lasts three years.

That's the tradition of this club, and you'll have to follow it too!

Watch your mouth!

There's no way I can get stronger!

Always taking care of the third-years...

Strict senior-junior relationships are the tradition of this club!

Useless things are just useless.

It doesn't matter if it's a public school or not

You probably look down on our public school club activities, don't you!

Huh?

It's tradition to spar according to the upperclassmen's assignments.

However, you can only use standing punches.

So you have to show me a difference in power of that magnitude.

You even said it was pointless,

I don't have a mouthpiece, so let's do it another day!

Minowa-san can't kick, so there's no way she can win...

If you win against me,

You can do whatever you like.

Okay.

Let's spar under those conditions.

No...

Are you okay!?

To be continued in Round.02

The department head will do anything.

I'm only taking punches from the stand.

Round.02 Blow

Not only can you not hit, but you're only okay with punches?

I'm fine with those conditions.

Locker room

Tatsuno~!

S

Our opponent is the 'Wolf of Tokyo' from West Tokyo, who made it to the top 8. They're not an easy opponent!!

This way, we'll just become slaves to the third-years!

This thing...

They say an apprentice can't perform the Kobutsu style of treatment on an outsider!

Gakugakuguragura

If I break the thread... I won't be able to be a Kobutsu person anymore.

Tatsuno?

Zun

Nnn

Let's get married.

Tatsuno?!

You are going to treat me, right...?

Once I'm no longer a stranger to Kobutsu-san...

That's what you have to do.

Why?

If Tatsuno is prepared to go that far, then I...

Yamagata-san, stop ignoring me and stop it~!!

There are people I have to win for.

The current Tatsuno can't win... not unless she fixes her body.

If I mess with it, I might make it worse.

The forbidden techniques my old man uses are powerful.

Even so?

Hmph

I might not even be able to fight anymore.

Only you can do it

...I'll do it...

Understood.

Nngh...

Gotcha.

Relax your muscles...

Scars from forbidden techniques remain all over my body. He's tough indeed...

But still,

I'm the only one who can heal this person.

a girl who's fighting, having thrown everything else away,

You entrusted your body to me.

Kobutsuryu doesn't matter.

if I can't respond to these feelings,

Not a man!!

Whoaaaa!

You shouldn't shake it that much!

What?

Hhhh!? Three shots!

I think if you shoot three more times, it'll go back to how it was...

Yamachan

G

That's enough.

If it could be fixed in one go, I wouldn't be struggling!

To humiliate Tatsuno, to shame her, and you only managed three shots? You useless piece of crap!

Thanks for waiting.

Thump

That was a long warm-up.

Is it okay if I stay in my uniform?

5:00

Kyi

This unit needs order.

Sorry, Shinigami-san,

Not three shots, but what if I miss even one shot...

Did my treatment work...!?

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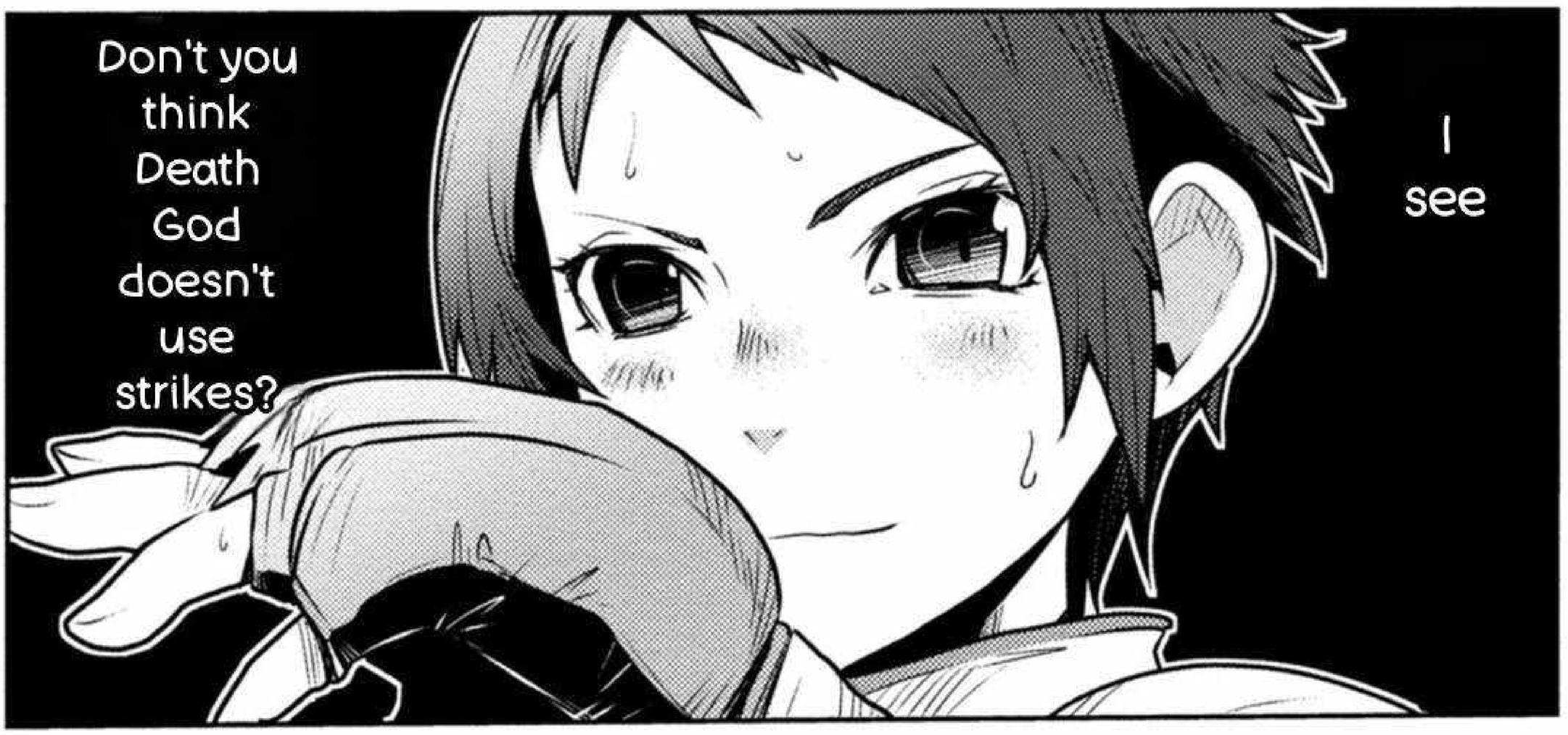
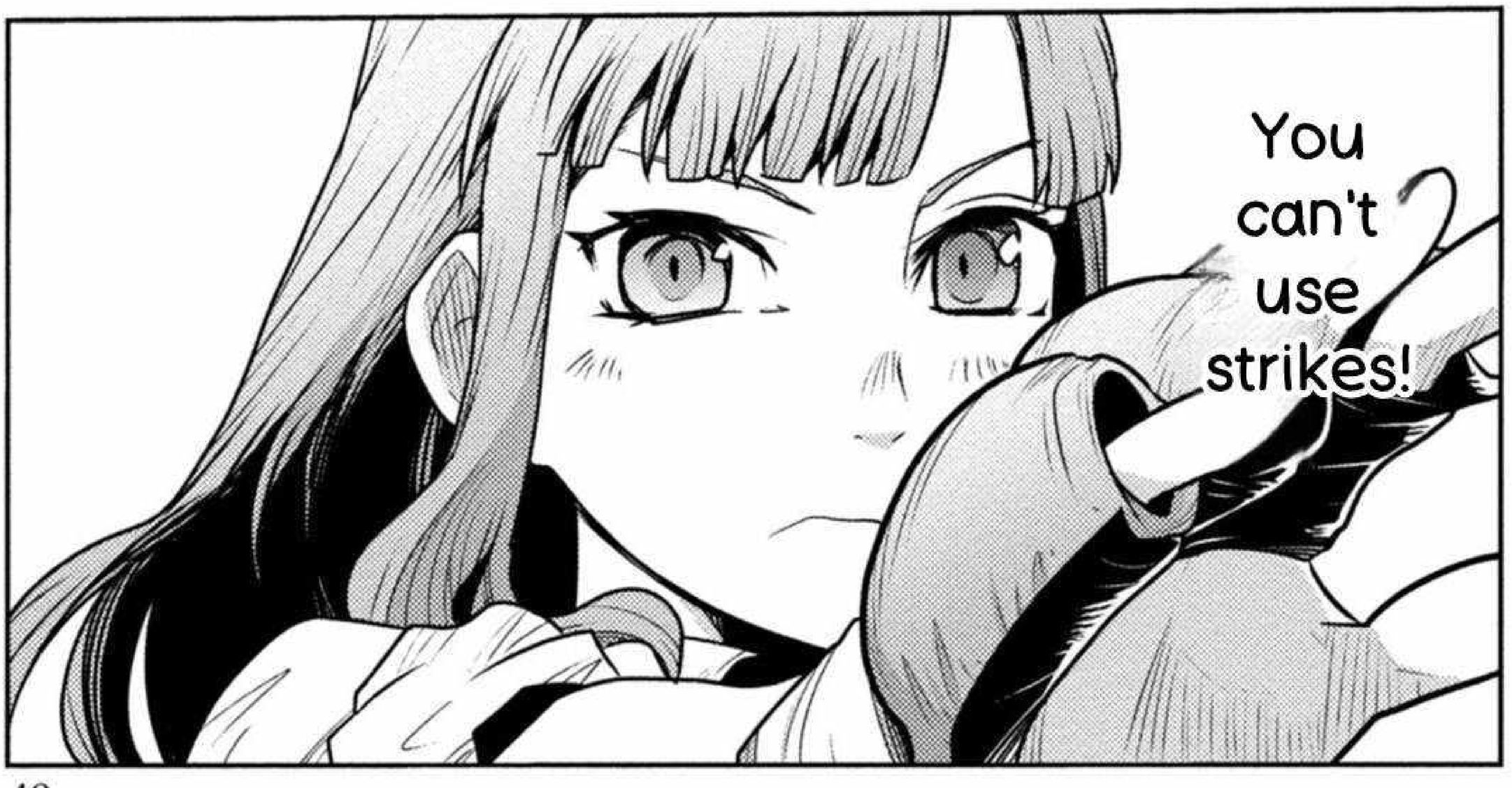
I thought you'd come charging in





If that's the case

With this

The end!!!

What's wrong? No way, the effects of the treatment wore off already...

Thank you

Kobutsu-kun

It was enough.

In three shots.

Death God's Strike!

Tatsuno's original weapon was her powerful punches.

This is the real Tatsuno!!

Gah

Yama-chan

Mr. Manager!

Bring me some ice!!

Goo

Oh, you don't need to get up!

Make yourself comfortable.

Your jaw isn't broken...

Ahhh!!!

Ungh...

Bart

i

ドスン

I ended up using a chokehold.

I lose.

Don't embarrass me any further!

I'm fine... I'm getting married...

Don't take it off!

No... um...

You broke your promise for Tatsuno's sake...

I'm sorry, Kobutsu-kun.

Locker room

I have something I want to try too.

Minowa-san, you said there was someone you wanted to beat, right...

Someone who needed me too!

Someone the old man destroyed, I can fix them.

I thought it was impossible, but seeing you, Minowa-san, I think I can do it...

I will heal you

I'll surpass my old man!!!

And with that, right away

Congratulations on becoming Kobutsu-kun's exclusive staff!

My next opponent!

Stop, stop~!!

Look at this

集中治療室に

I'll send you off!!!!

Grim Reaper!!!

It's your turn next.

That's three consecutive instant KOs, Mizuho Hinohara, the "Angel of Malice"!!

This birthmark on my throat...!

Whoa~ That's scary...

Hurry with the stretcher!!

4?

To be continued in Round.03

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6:30

Round.03

Club activities

Understood

I see... so you'll be seeing patients there for a while, then.

Where's Grandpa now?

Huh? The Caribbean Sea?

Well then, I'm heading to school

Creak

It's okay, it's okay

Really, there's no problem at all

Wha-!? I told you, girls aren't allowed!!!!

I'm reading the family letter just like you told me to

So it's about Artemis the "Grim Reaper" transferring in, right!?

Did you hear? Did you hear?

Tokyo Metropolitan Kuwagawasa High School

It's true! I heard it from someone in the martial arts club!

Is it true that senior Machida got thrashed by the Grim Reaper?

That's right! And apparently, the martial arts club was a mess yesterday!!!!

It's turning into quite the rumor...

I'm a fan of senior Machida~ I'm so shocked~!!!

Ah, they asked me for a comment

Aren't you the one, Machida-san, who made it to the Top 8 in West Tokyo last year? They even had a special TV program about you!!

West Tokyo
Miwa
8

See, it's not stopping!

Move more!

I can't believe it either.

It's understandable.

SICKLE

The first historic achievement for a Tokyo Metropolitan school

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G-good morning, Kobutsu-kun.

Since Kobutsu-kun is here, let's try some striking.

Okay, three from the left, right?

SICKLE

1 !!

R-

2 !!

A

You only landed 3 hits yesterday, but you've lost some, Kobutsu-kun!

It's starting to come back as time passes.

It's only been treated once, you know.

Minowa-san!!!

Next time, you won't be able to win with just a chokehold!

The match is in two weeks!

Kobutsu-san, please take care of me today too.

I can land one hit now.

Yamachan

Shi-pi-shin

2-1

Accompanying me...?

Everyone's really worried, you know!

You disappeared on us yesterday and now you're showing up together today!?

Kobutsū!

What were you even doing together in the first place...?

shi

Did you also see me sparring with Machida-senpai?

I was having my body examined.

I'm sorry I lied.

Hey! What's going on?!

No way... seeing the 'Grim Reaper' naked...!!

Grandpa!

Tatsuno!!!

To

Gok gok

Don't misunderstand!

Arf!

Extreme

So extreme it's scary

Pervert

You opened up to me later

It's getting to be

Pervert!

Introduce me!

Introduce me

Become

It's happening

I didn't say anything wrong.

I spent all day trying, but the misunderstanding won't clear up.

You're no good, Tatsuno!

There's a way you should say things!

Be careful in club activities!

Please!!!

1, 2, 3, 4

Next, spinning around

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There aren't any club members at all...?

Minowa-senpai, I'm Wakaba Tategawa, a first-year!

Please spar with me!

Huh? Right now?

Right now!

Wakaba!!!! What's wrong?

With grappling techniques!!!!

The rules are...

...Okay, what are the rules?

Stop that!

He's looking for a big hit
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Begin!!!

Toll

!!

Am I supposed to stiffen my knees and twist!?

If they master it, my knees will break!!!!

I'm gonna smash them!!

Like Senpai did for this club!!!

Ahhh...

That kid probably only knows about that, right?

What is this!?

They probably did their best with what they could do, but...

If that's overcome...

This is a move I taught you this morning.

Stop right there!!! Let go!!

Tatsuno!!

Don't stop me!!!!

I absolutely don't want to tap out against this person!!!!

I've already made it mine.

Bu...

I noticed!

Wakaba!! You're reckless...

Huh!

...?

It's because I lost so badly... I thought everyone could become stronger and put up with the club's traditions.

Because of this person, everyone in the club quit...

But...

I was fine just the way I was...

This person...!!

It's not the captain's fault!

I'm sorry...

Even if you cry

SICKLE

You can't become stronger than me

Minowa-senpai

Could you teach me the backing-up move you used earlier?

M

Like *whoosh*

I will definitely avenge the[illegible]!!!!

I'll steal a lot from you, Senpai

SICKLE

Tatsuno isn't good at teaching, so I'll lecture on her behalf.

I'll hold your ankle and pass your leg through.

はい

Next, hold it here...

Let's do some striking!

はーい!

Alright!

Mmmph

Go, Wakaba, go!

Maybe like this

It's actually a good vibe

...Like this

Oh, yes, you're amazing as always, President

That's great

I agree

Yep

Grrr, I'm frustrated but that's amazing!

She's still that strong even now.

What if I fought with all my might?

This

This

Is he that strong of an opponent?

An Mizuho Hinohara

Murata Welfare Nursing High School

IS Record

But to be that wary...

KII

Gah...

ドドド

I can't stop...

Mizuho

Stop it!!!

I want to punch the 'Shinigami' quickly...

To be continued in Round.04

I can't believe it...

I lost.

Kiyose who was in the same top 8 as me

In last year's West Tokyo preliminaries

Round.04 The battle begins

I couldn't compete because I couldn't handle the pressure...

Nice tackle!!!!

This is it!

To think Kiyose, who's good at grappling, couldn't even get a single takedown...

Ah! I failed again.

I can't return this...

Camp

That's 3 consecutive quick knockout victories.

This was last month's match.

If Tatsuno wins this match, he'll be closer to the nationals...

Those with excellent records here will be seeded in the preliminaries.

Let's create

The next match is the final tournament before the national qualifiers.

Let me hear everyone's opinions.

As you can see, he's a difficult opponent for Tatsuno right now.

It feels like a huge obstacle has appeared before that.

I'm a teacher, so I don't really know, but...

But his striking is rougher than I thought.

Yeah, Tatsuno will probably have trouble bringing her down.

Not only is his striking strong, but he's also really good at preventing takedowns.

I think Tatsuno-chan will win!

Hooks are 80% of it, and I think Minowa-san can counter.

It's still just makeshift grappling...

She doesn't get knocked down at all in other matches either.

Maybe if she attacks with striking to distract him, she can go for grappling.

Kiyose-san also lost as a result of avoiding her strikes...

That's why I told you it wouldn't have an effect so quickly.

Huh?! They haven't increased at all!!!

Totally incompetent!!!

Maybe 3 hits...

Kobutsu-kun, how many hits do you think you can land this time?

Those rapid strikes for only three hits on our side... I'm worried.

Tatsuno, how is it? Can you do it?

It's enough.

Alright, let's go from striking to a takedown!

Then let's practice things other than striking!

Oh

Martial arts room

Last 5 seconds!!!!

Time's up!

Hurry, don't let her rest!!!

Yes!

Next, Wakaba-chan!!!!

To think that 'Grim Reaper' is practicing at our school...

Ah, it's unbelievable.

Even the usually capable Senpai must be exhausted...

This drill alone took 30 minutes...

Wakaba, punch me for real!

Move your feet!

You'll be the death of me!!

You don't have to tell me!!!!

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Next person!!!

It's me last!

What's wrong, Tatsuno!!

Look, look!!!

Everyone, your classmate, cheer for me!

Move, Minowa-san!!

Coming here, this is tough!!!!

Th

Fight!!!

Fight!!

Ngh
…

バッ

ペタン

It's time!!!

I did it!
…

I'm
…

Haaah

Haaah

Thank you, both of you... You're a lifesaver.

You can't lose until you lose to me, okay?

This should be fine.

Hahhh

The very end, the very end.

Tatsuno!!!

Even watching you made me tired.

I did it!

Me?

Go on!!!!

Noo

Kobutsū, you go too!!!

AP

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Beauty surgery click

It's my first time watching at the venue.

It's not often that a Tokyo metropolitan high school student makes it to the main tournament.

ARTEMISM
One-Match
Tournament
Match 3

The preliminary matches leading up to the summer national tournament are underway!!!!

Even if you get beaten to a pulp, we'll take care of you here!!!!

Go at it with all you've got!

Those were the words of ARTEMIS founder, Professor Azabu~...

Kobutsusan

I'm getting kind of nervous.

Ack!

This is the waiting room for the match, Kobotoke-senpai.

Sorry... I'm not used to this atmosphere.

Don't look away, keep stretching!

It's your first time too, right Wakaba?

Is three shots really the limit?

Yeah... I can't guarantee any more than that.

Can't you do ten shots? You useless idiot!

Isn't saying 'ten shots' a bit perverted, Buchou?

Saying it like that...

A

Damn it...

Swoosh

The doctor's coming now!

Swoosh

Damn it...

I'll be healed by the West Tokyo qualifiers...

You got hit in the elbow, didn't you?

The qualifiers and the national tournament are consecutive matches, so you'll see even more amazing things.

ガバ

ガバ

Why don't you change your mood?

I felt relaxed.

Thank you, Kobutsu-san.

ポン

I'm weak to tension...

STAFF

I'm having unpleasant thoughts.

If I saw something like that

RANADOFVEROY

I bought something I can't drink!

Ah!

Is it the same for Mr. Tatekawa, feeling uncomfortable?

Um...

BLACK loses his temper

Don't compare me to Senpai.

ホ…

It's Hinohara's school uniform!

Ah!

Yes, that's right, but

Oh, are you from Kuufu High School?

Don't push it.

コノヤロー

Are you gonna start something?

I'll teach you how to definitely beat Mizuho...

That's...

What are you two doing?! It's almost time to enter!

What!!

If I can just last one round, I can win!?

It wasn't that kind of feeling...

What's that? Why would you tell me something like that? Aren't you supposed to be my opponent?

A kid from the same school as Hinoihara told me.

Just turn around and run like hell.

What will you do, Tatsuno?

In that case, there's no need to take a risk and go for a strike.

ah

We'll go for a strike, just like we all decided.

Lu

Minowa, shall we give it one last push?

Please! Minowa, get ready for the entrance!

Are we going to win this together!!!!

Up until now, only you and Tatsuno were practicing and preparing.

With all your might!

Go, my lord!

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RT SIK

Hinoara Mizuho, Hamura Welfare Nursing School

VS

Minowa Tatsuno, Kufu Prefectural High School

This will be a 4-round, 2-minute match!!

I can't say for sure who will win, but...

I'm getting nervous...

The person who was sitting next to me in class yesterday is standing over there.

It won't be a boring match.

Her opponent is the in-form 'Angel of Malice', Hinoara Mizuho.

This will be Minowa Tatsuno, 'The Grim Reaper's', first match since transferring to West Tokyo.

Both fighters have built a mountain of victories with a 100% finish rate.

Respect to each other!

Respect to the umpire!

Huh?

With my fists

You've got a pretty face.

I'll reshape that face into something even prettier.

Who will break down the pristine white mountains standing side-by-side

Plu

Is that the Grim Reaper's scythe!!!

Is that an Angel's fist?

GO

AHEAD!!

What's this?

You're strong!

Tatsuno Circling!

Your blood looks cold, Grim Reaper! I'll warm it up for you!!

Can you dodge this!?

Is that so...

To be continued in Round 05

Round.05 極め

On the other hand, Hinohara has never lost a submission match!!

Minowa, who has won by submission since returning without using strikes

Wawa! It's started!!!

Spin!

Don't just go straight back!!! Minowa-san

Watch closely!

ジリジリ!!

Wh-What!!!!

It's decided!!

Power...

Counter!

..

Strike!! ...the urrected!
'Death
God'!

This is it!!!!

This is it...

I stood up!

But!!!

You can punch me, 'Grim Reaper'!!

Huh!?

Huh?! That isn't working!

It's a chance to take you down!

Tatsuno, watch out!

But your focus is on punching!!!!

You can't win like that!!!

Punch me more!!

A big left hook, just like in practice!!!!

!!

Damn it!!!

Because I'm confident I won't be knocked down, I can go for aggressive attacks!!!!

He easily broke through Hino's tackle!!!!

It looks easy to grapple with because of the big swings, but they've properly prepared countermeasures.

Let me punch too

You're the target of my punch!!

Get up, Tatsuno!! If you stay like that,

I can't stand up!

But... my legs are done for

Uhh...

Huh? Isn't my opponent kind of strong?

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Even that amazing counter didn't work...

Minowa Saaaan-!

I have to cheer her on!!!

Minowa-tsu!!

Minowa!!!

Minowa!!!

I have to escape from here somehow or I'll be TKO'd!!!!

Senpai, move!

Let's dive!!

All right, Tatsuno!!!

Ga

"Death God" turns the tide in an instant!!!

You can do it, Tatsuno!!!

Defeat him!!!

Aaaah!

Tatsuno!!

Minowa-san!!!

2 more shots

There is!!!!

K

The powerful high kick and flying knee strike connect...

Whoa!!

RT
SIK

She can still stand after that...?

Oh, you don't have a nose bridge anymore?

I'll kill you if you stop me, you over-painted hag!!!

I'm disqualifying you.

But the crowd is amazed by his incredible resilience!!!

The doctor will check you now!!

EIN

Stop!!!

Tatsuno!

But there was nothing suspicious in the drug test...

毎回

I'm worried about this child's abnormal state of excitement.

Is it because of that?!

There was something, an old man's secret technique, that could sustain the state of excitement.

Tatsuno! Did you get it?

But...

If you bleed again, I'll stop it!!!!

That's why you can only last one round!!!

You just don't realize it yourself!!!

It seems they're resuming!!!

You're fatigued, though. You're definitely taking damage.

B

My opponent isn't unaffected, there's no way!!!

No damage?

Minowa-san!!!!

Nobody but the seconds should be giving advice in this area!!!!

Sorry...

Let's resume!!!

My attacks are already...

Huh!!!

You're pretending to hit me

Did you grab me!!!

KO

Remember your training, Mizuho!!!

I'm gonna wring your neck!!!!!

I can't feel the pain

If I strangle you!!

Did the blow land!?

Guhh

What? I can't move!

Mizuho!!!!Move!! Move!

That kid...

Stop, stop!!

Ein

Round 1, 3 minutes. By rear-naked choke.

Alright, that was a perfect throw!!!

But next time, try an under-shoulder throw.

I'm scared of being taken down from behind.

...She was strong.

I can get stronger...Thank you.

Thanks to that, I found a weakness in my takedowns.

Your practice paid off.

You won't need that kind of chiropractic adjustment next time, Mizuho will win.

What was that? Didn't you want her to lose?

He must really love that kid.

Minowa-san, can I get a picture?

P

Little Buddha too

!!

Sorry about that...

I did it!!!

Asuno-chan is strong, after all!!!!

Kyah~!!!

Naito Yatsuyoshi!

!!

Minowa's classmate?

It was a good game. Nishitokyo's level is rising, isn't it?

If there had been no forfeits due to injury, maybe they would have been number one in Japan...

Last year's Nishitokyo representative, undefeated in official matches, the 'Snow Queen'!!

...Hinohara-san is also the teacher's patient?

She's a strong-willed kid, but when she breaks, she's fragile.

That's the shame...

No way

Do you want to try it too?

Those who rely on such things

You've lost from the start.

What do you think from your perspective?

Ah

NIE

A half-hearted finishing move that relies on insufficient hitting power

I've been indebted to you since I was injured last year.

But I don't need anything more than that.

That's just like you.

What are they talking about...?

I thought that girl wouldn't be able to hit anymore.

However, I'm surprised.

I can't believe she has enough power to conquer West Tokyo now...

I see.

But I am the 'Snow Queen' of West Tokyo.

I wish I could have fought her at her best.

That's harsh.

...I'm sorry, but if we do end up fighting...

TS

Transferring here is the same as challenging me.

You will regret it.

Coming back.

Following Round.0.

I was late, but I still did it properly...

I told you to treat me during morning practice!

Is that really fitting for a member of the martial arts club?

Martial arts are individual sports, but practice and management are team efforts!!!!

You're the one who knows Tatsuno's condition best, right?

Round Launch 06

It's just one lateness, don't be so dramatic...

Ehh...

If you don't do your part properly, we can't win!

Congratulations!!

You were so cool~!!!

That was amazing~!!

It's refreshing to see someone so happy

We have to do our best next time too

I wonder if I was able to help too...!

"You were taking pictures together too~!!!

You're enjoying all the good stuff!!

I don't have to hold back anymore, right?

The specialty here is Kinako Mont Blanc.

Minowa-san, this is a celebration!!!!

Thank you...

Ah

Eat more!!

They liked it!

Jeon

It's all thanks to you.

To think Tatsuno would make a face like that

The returnee student, Saeki-san

What the heck is that!!!

She lived in Hawaii until middle school...

Actually, it's been a while since Saeki spoke

She's always sitting alone quietly

So amazing

Hawaiian accent?

She has a tattoo on her shoulder

Different culture

Yeah

Saeki

Hey, Saeki-san!!

I wondered what it was like, so I watched it on TV...

It's no big deal!!!

Let's spar!!

If you lose, the martial arts club will be disbanded!!

Can you come to the rooftop after school?

Besides, I already have plans after school today...

Hey, what are you doing, just assuming things...

...Fine.

You should be thorough with this kind of thing!!!

Fighting... at this age?

Tell me as soon as the teacher comes!!

Besides, it's not a fight, it's a spar, a spar!!!

This is irritating!!!!

That confidence... is he someone who does this kind of thing?

I have plans too, so let's wrap this up quickly!!

I don't mind fighting, though.

But I don't want you to get seriously injured, so let's do it by the rules of martial arts.

Again, what recklessness...

No punching, throwing, or tackling! Let's get into a good hold!!!

But!! If I injure an amateur, I'll be suspended from official matches.

T

Let's do this, SOB!!!

That step...is it karate?

What is that?

Hawaiian Karate!!

Yeah

Don't you laugh!!!!

Eye poke!?

Even though it's a spar, what are you doing...

What I want is this

7%

You fool! That was a feint!

10%

My arm!!

Ah!!

Armbar!?

!!

Ah...!!!

Tatsuno, get up.

Get your arm out!!!

Armbar : to omoplata transition

You know Jiu-Jitsu too?!

Wait, is this Karate?!

*Omoplata: An armlock in Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu where the opponent's elbow is trapped by the legs. It means "shoulder blade" in Portuguese.

Grandpas who immigrated from Japan, the Philippines, China, and Brazil

My karate was made by mixing the techniques everyone taught me!!!!

than your martial arts,

Hawaiian Karate!!!!

Why are you strangling me...?

Guillotine choke...?

Oh no...

Sss...

Skirt!

Aaa

Lower your hips, flip your wrists, and push her head down!!!!!

Wait a minute!!

That's enough now!!

Stop!!!!

Wh……

What are you doing?!

I haven't given up yet, damn it!!

You're a terrible loser!

The match was already decided, wasn't it?

No, no!!!!
I haven't lost yet!!!!
You even make fun of my measurements and karate...
You're always looking at me strangely...
I don't want to lose to losers like you....!!!!
I'll get stronger and kill you next time.
Well then...
You wanted to prove yourself by beating Tatsuno and showing everyone?

Won't you join the martial arts club?

I can become stronger!

Absolutely not!!

You looked down on me, saying 'I'll be your friend,' didn't you?

It's not like that, I mean, everyone together...

I've made it this far on my own!!

Do you think playing friends will make me stronger?

What about Minowa?

Besides, what's in it for you if I get stronger!!!!

I don't need your pity!!

I want to practice with you

Because I want to become stronger

Tatsuno...

Martial arts are individual sports, but practice partners, supporters, and opponents... many others make you stronger

It's the same for Tatsuno

If you become stronger, we'll become stronger too

If you insist that much, I'll go in...

Ah

...And that's why you stopped me?

It's the day after the game, so you shouldn't push yourself.

Minowa-san, you hurt your wrist. Let me see.

What are you~!!!!

I don't want that!! If you hadn't stopped me just now, I would've won!!!!

But you have to correct the part about 'it's no big deal'!!!

I'll take care of your body.

I'll be late for the lottery draw!

Ouch! Ow!

West Tokyo Preliminary Draw

ARTEMIS National Championship West Tokyo Preliminary Draw will now begin!!

Artemis

Fourth seed Toritsu Kuufu High School, Minowa Tatsuno!!

Before that, Matsuura-san, your mountain

First seed Gyoen Women's Academy, Naito Yazen!!

Second seed Fu Chusei International High School, Matsuura Kosasa!

The 'Grim Reaper' is here.

Third seed Tamagawa Gakuen, Fumino Miyako!!

Naito, I'll face you in the finals. I'll get revenge for last year.

I might face Fumiya...

Wait, the 'Fighting Idol'?

She's a powerful striker who uses blows based on swordsmanship. Her overall ability is incomparable to Hinoara's.

Last year's runner-up, Matsuura, is in the same bracket...

I need to rethink my training methods...

The number of martial arts club members in her district is triple that of West Tokyo.

Haha... She just stood out in a district with a thin player base.

I'll test my skills!!!

Before settling things with Naito...

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Well, we're finally approaching the Western Tokyo Tournament...

Everyone only stands in a full-size cage for the first time when they have a match, right?

Round.07 Expedition

After all, I think that's lack of experience.

Tatsuno was also easily cornered the other day...

And so,

I want to go on an expedition to a strong school with a cage!!!

Expedition?

I said expedition!

But where to?

Otoba Academy is a powerhouse school in Nagano Prefecture, right?

You really have connections.

This is fun, like a school trip~

Well, it's my hometown, so there's this and that... you know.

We're going on a field trip!

Don't look.

I'm not looking!

EKOJ

Teacher, you know...

You're the only boy among the girls, Kobutsu-kun, you're having fun too, aren't you?

Matsumoto

Matsumoto

Minami Matsumoto

Matsumoto

Is it good?

It's Aoyagi!

So this is Minami's hometown...

Umm...

Chikuma!!

It's been a while, Asahi!!!

Shinonoi Chikuma

This is the ace of Mesoba Academy, where we're going today!

Everyone!

It's an opportunity to spar with "The Reaper," so I welcome it!

Thank you for permitting our practice visit today.

P8

Our club president is amazing too!

I've never seen anything amazing.

...Leave me alone.

Oh, you've gotten brighter.

They're amazing, aren't they?Yamachan's classmate...

"The Serpent of Shinano"!! They're super famous! A strong candidate for the prefectural representative!

We were together in the martial arts club in middle school!

You had a scary face.

You and Minowa-san were always together

Do you think so?

Just like in middle school.

Huh?

Before,

You didn't have that kind of face at your previous high school.

Sickle

Artemis has many athletes who wear clothes, so that's the countermeasure.

The club members here are all in uniforms, aren't they?

It looks like three of our martial arts rooms could fit in here.

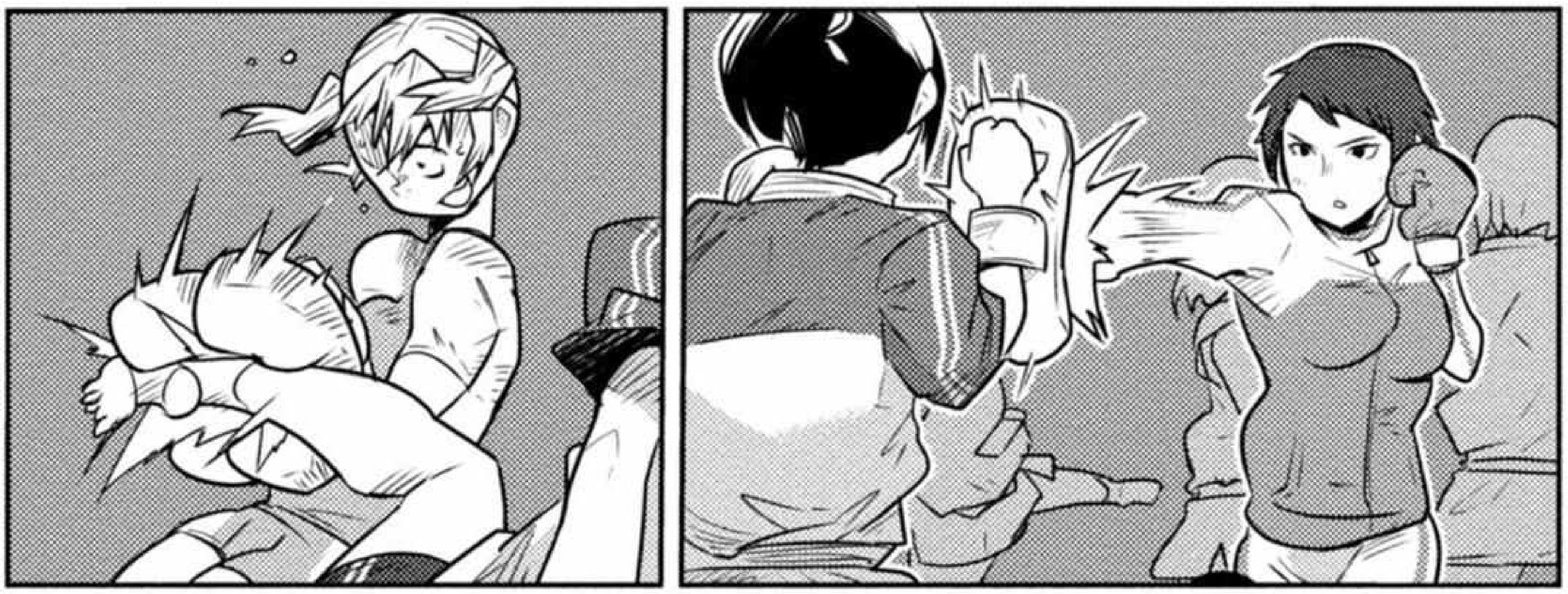
As expected of a private school, what amazing facilities...

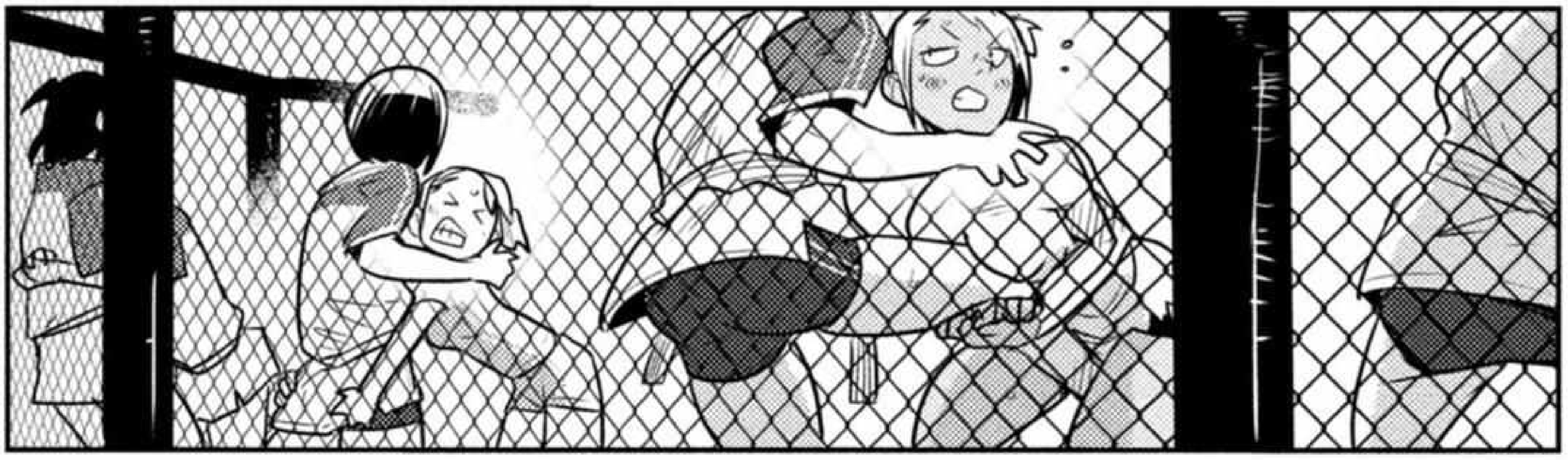
Hmph!!

To everyone from Kuufu High School

They came for training with us over the weekend.

おねがいしまーす!!





You really don't know?
Ah
Tatsuno-chan?
Whoa, that looks tough.

Once you pour water in

Roll up your sleeves and turn your body sideways...

M

Drills near the cage are hard...

B

This is tough!

How is it?

Tatsuno started martial arts in high school, so

Huh?

Ah... Tatsuno doesn't know a lot either.

Minowa was thrown around too.

ヒヒヒ

There were times I was injured, so in reality, it's about a year.

Shorter than me, who was in the martial arts club in middle school...?

No way!?!

I don't have experience in any other martial arts or sports...

I don't want to hear from a genius!!!

Well, before, I would finish the match before it got into that kind of situation...

Open this cage for me!

Everyone, let's try various things for the light contact part above the neck.

Let's have a sparring match in this ring.

Huh?

If you get grappling, push them away immediately.

I don't need any weird joint locks, just use the straightforward method.

I understand!

Tackle!

Hook

Body

Stop saying it every time!!!!

The straightforward method!!!!

Get away!!!!

Jumping Armbar!

Aplos

Get up and pull your arm out!

If they stretch you, you're stuck!

Fingernail ss:

ズン

ズン

You're doing so much~!!!

You don't have to lift me up!!

ビヨーン

!!

Send it back!!

Kick off and get away!!!

Don't let your guard down!!!!

Huh?

AAH

Oh, I'll do it! Watch this!

It's your first time sparring in martial arts, right? Be careful not to get pushed around!

Good, no broken bones, huh?

Wakaba, hang in there.

STOP!!

METOBA

Heh heh heh

Kini!

Of course!

You can do it, Aki!

Whoa!

Tock

Tock

Tock

I can't stand up!!!!

Stand up!!

If you can't stand, then do this!!!

This person...

What's wrong!!

AD

?

I gave you the full set of armor along with the rulebook!!!

Is that not allowed?

You dislocated my finger joints!?

My finger...

If you keep doing things like this, I won't be allowed to go for practice training!!

You damn idiot moron!

Please check on Kobutsu-kun too!!!

AD

I didn't know!

Sooooorry!!

So... let's try that again.

Well... it doesn't look like it's broken...

You don't have to cry that much.

The boss is strong.

Because I'm 'The Wolf of Metropolitan'!!

I love you

This is a tense situation.

I'm starting to get nervous...

This is the legendary district finals.

Hey...

ﾊｰｰ...

Chikuma!?

Aren't we going to do this seriously?

Not a lukewarm spar,

MA

For me, it's more important than the match!!!!

What are you saying, Shinonoi!!

My jaw was broken by a kick... I haven't forgotten it for a single day.

Do you remember that you KO'd me in a previous match?

Even if we become the prefectural representatives, if they say 'Shinigami went to Tokyo'...

Everyone thinks you're stronger.

Minowa-san...

I can't stand it anymore!!!!

METOVA

Alright

Of course

You're the one who brought this up, so whatever the outcome, you have to take responsibility for it yourself.

Thank you

SIKLE

Ko-butsu-san

Chikuma...

Give me a little time before that.

So your fingers reach deep inside

You don't need to take everything off

If you're not at your best, you can't win

They're serious over there

Understood

I guarantee you three full shots

I'll show you a real "Death God"!!!!

Can't you give me some kind of order?

Alright, let's begin.

Tatsu, keep your distance so you don't get grabbed!! Finish them with strikes!!!

Sut

AHEAD%

Shinonoi isn't engaging, is she?

She's wary of counter attacks and submissions.

!!

It's brutal from the first shot

Amazing middle!!!!

!!

I caught you

Tatsuno ashi-zeki's coming!!

!!

I won't let you get away!!

Pull out your leg and stand up instantly!

To that exte...

Shinonoi!!!

Koo

Koo Koo Koo

This is bad!!!!

What willpower!!!!

Minowa-san's development from here on...

I was taught by Sanki. Offense and defense...

I can do it now.

To be continued in Round 8.

After School Girls Bout

Ugh...
Round!08 志
This!

This

This

Chikuma!!

Stop!
Stop!!

Pull yourself together!!!!!

Chikuma, are you alright!?

You've woken up!?

Can you go?

There's still time.

Let's continue.

Hmph!

Just a bit, Minowa-san...

There are other players, and tomorrow is another day!

Of course

Time is precious.

One more!

Nope

You're continuing!?

Huh...?

ふー

Please.

One more!!!

Wait!!!

!!

These people are...

I won't allow any more than this.

I can't break you.

Let's all study.

From here on out, it's a free-for-all spar.

ARAAAB

Aren't you even taking a break...

*Sparring done with restraint, such as not striking directly.

You should rest instead of worrying about Chikuma.

I won't make it to the preliminaries.

My ribs are killing me.

If I can't beat a Shinigami, there's no point in going.

Don't make that face.

But, hey!!

Next year, I'll be even stronger!!!

There's always next year!!!

You better train Asahi too

Well then

Ah! Well, yeah

You were in the martial arts club since middle school, right?
Um...
Choke
Is Yamagata not participating in the match?

Whaaat!?

Because we have to become stronger

This is Yamagata-senpai's family home!

Such foul language for a customer!!

You damn brat!!!!

Asahi!!!!

What an amazing inn...

You're the young lady of the house, even though you curse so much, Yama-chan

Shut up, you trash!!!

Haa... Well, sort of.

Has Asahi been doing well?

Mom, I'm home...

Oh

I've been great!!!!

Can't you be more direct!!

Until Asahi quit being an athlete too...

Are all of you athletes from the martial arts club?

Thank you for having me today.

W-wait, let's stop talking about that!

...?

No, no! Asahi's guests are our guests too!

Clatter

Each room has this kind of open-air bath, huh...

No, it's an eggshell.

It's bruised after all...

Self-source water containing iron and carbon, effective for anemia, rheumatism, bruises...

Hey!!!

Ew!!

Alright!!!!

She ran off, Wakaba, catch her!!!! Let's take one!!!!

It's dangerous, so stop!!!!

Slippery, dark evil

M Aaaah!

Wha... What am I doing...

Stop it, you damn idiot fart face!!!

Because you're playing around.

Phew...

Kobutsu, I want you to do me too!!

Ah! That's cheating, Minowa!

That's nice~...

Huh?

Of course, Bucho.

Eh? Then... I want you to do me too...

I want you to do me too...

I'll do it later.

Wait, Kobutsu-kun, you only have one body!?

Ahhh!!!

Even though Kobutsu said it was fine!

Are you going to monopolize her, Minowa!!!

This is it, our duel!!!

Your little play-acting gets to end here!!!!

Game Room

Ping Pong!!

It's okay as long as I win!!!!

Anything goes in a fight!

You two are ganging up on me!!

Sigh>

Sigh>

TLO LO

The time has come!!!

Mm-hmm...

What?

That's a relief... It's just like usual.

That he's actually a good kid.

I thought "Grim Reaper" was just a nickname.

Nod.

I was a little scared...

But Minowa-san during the day...

He looked just like that person.

Yeah... I thought so too.

A person we'll eventually have to surpass.

Who?

Her

Older sister

Ughhh

Close call!

This punch is all wind-up...

If I hit them this hard,

Hyaa!!!

Meow!

My joint popped out!

Meow!

Wakaba!!!!

!!

Four shots...

Now...

Four shots!

Huh? Then the hits too...?!

Tatsuno-chan, you did it!

Doesn't 'four shots' sound a little lewd, Buchou!!!!

Wakaba...

To be continued in Round.0

After School Girls Bout

Even though it's not a class system, there's still weigh-in, huh?

It's okay.

Have you weighed in yet?

Saeki, can you help me with my warm-up too?

... he says

It's a check to see if it's the same as the declared weight.

Get out, idiot!!!

This is the locker room.

The Artemis West Tokyo preliminary first round is starting!!!

I wanted to participate too!

I'm going to be the captain's second, so Aki, you go with Wakaba-chan.

It looks like the first round will overlap.

You need to watch the matches and learn the rules first!!!!

Round.09 Tournament Opening

NIHK

Nishi-Tokyo 1st Preliminary Round

Kobutsu-kun is filming a video!!!! Okay!?

No.

Tatsuno is checking the matches of players to watch out for!!!!!

Oshima Mika

HA

This match comes first, doesn't it?

Oshima Mika (Sumiida Culture [Ryokoku High School])

(Motomachi High School)

Akabane (Adachi

Heika

She's a first year, but she was a national top 4 in junior high, or so they say

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?

!!

Ah!

It's the second match, so we can't delay!

Minowa-san!!!!

You're popular

Who is the player you are paying attention to?

PRESS

I'm a fan! Could I please have an autograph...?

Rintan

This is not the time to be interested.

...ってか！

ガ！

Sorry, I'm in a hurry!!!!

What?

!!

A

ガク

?

Oshima I lost!!!

No way!

Who is that kid? Where is she from?

Huh!? It's over already!

Winner: Fumika Sumida!!!

I wonder what kind of match it was...

But is that even allowed?

!

I'm sorry, Minowa-san...

Let's go watch the next match!

Minowa!!!

It hurts a little!!!

It was a split, but we won!!

Mr. Manager, say something too!!

You did it, Wakaba!

※The decision was split 2-1.

Hehehe...

You worked hard, Wakaba.

That's...

Next, you're matched with Ohshima-san.

We can't get carried away.

Who's the opponent? What a player!

Huh? Oshima lost!

Sorry!

The next one is Wakaba-chan fighting him, you idiot!!!

Kobustu-san isn't to blame.

Eh? I didn't see it!

Sniffle

Bleh

What were you doing!?

I don't know...

Is your stance orthodox or southpaw?

私

I'm not skillful enough to vary my tactics...

It's okay!

I just fight with all my might against anyone!!!

Wakaba-chan, carefully!!

Set

AHEAD

!!

an

ナイス

What's that? She wrapped her arms around his hem!

Wakaba-chan, shrimp me!!!

Kicking off the ground to push the opponent away and create space; a defensive move in grappling.

!!

Stop, stop!

Is that costume even allowed!?

Wakaba!!!

The winner, Sumida Fumika!

Is Wakaba-chan okay...?

It doesn't violate the costume regulations either.

But such a long hemline!

Using the dobok to choke or restrain is permitted by the rules.

Where are you looking?!

...at this venue.

Watching again...

That kid is the most dangerous.

To be continued in Round.10

After School Girls Bout

Let's start the next match!!

Get back, Sumida!

Round 10

Entangling hand

It seems words alone won't get through to you~!!!!

Hey, stop it, both of you!!!

A loser like Wakaba

Bring it on

KU

The

ZZZ

RG

That kid's first match was Tatsuno's...

I... I'm still in it too...

But in the end that kid won, didn't they?

Ouch!!!

There's no way anyone could do this!

Sumida Fumika, 3rd year at Ryokoku High School

I said you were a loser!!!!

You really punched me!

Sumida Fumika

Ryokoku High School, 3rd year

*Record 5 1 Win

And suddenly you made it to the quarterfinals...

She only participated in one match twice during her first year, so there's almost no data on her.

I found you!

I have a bad feeling about this...

A sudden surge from an unknown player with a large gap in their record.

This is it!!!! This is how I did it in yesterday's match against Oshima!

My right is in!

Strong, as expected of a Top 4 finisher in the All-Japan Middle School Championship.

You block it with your lap too!?

!!

Dufufu

My hemii

Ah!...

I'm gonna be expelled!!

He strangled me with his clothes again...

Mine hit too, so if you're Tatsuno-senpai, you can defeat them with a strike!

If we grapple, he's definitely going to choke me with that hem!

Don't show me a glimpse and then grapple me!!!!

Just don't let them take your strikes!

What do you want to do, Tatsuno?

What if that was an invitation!!!

Ta-ki-!!

...I see.

Me? Yay! I did it!!

You're going to let them take it, huh.

It might be a tough match

What do you mean?

that your old man had a hand in...

If they're players

That's why-

ARTEMIS:
West
Tokyo
Preliminaries
Quarterfinals
Begin!!!

Best 8! The fierce battle moves to the next stage!!

SLK

The fierce competitors who passed the first round challenge the seeded players!!!

Huh?

Little Buddha, can you really shoot four times?

The procedure is fine... I think.

You're fighting a strong enemy, 'I think' isn't good enough!!

What's wrong?

Oh... yeah

Let's form a circle together!

We've come this far...

I believe in you, Kobutsusan!

Minowa, it's your first match, let's get pumped!

It's our club's tradition.

Alright!

This kind of tradition isn't bad.

Go!!

Toritsu Kuwabu Kōgibu!!!

The 'Grim Reaper,' Tatsuno Minowa, faces the first match of the West Tokyo preliminaries!!!!

Let's be friends!!

A huge cheer from the crowd!!

Fumika Sumida, thank goodness you were off my radar... but...

But this has turned into an unexpected matchup. Oshima was favored according to pre-match buzz...

Senpai

Sumida!!! Aren't you going to bow!!!!!

That's how she's defeated strong opponents one after another to get to this point.

Now that I think about it, the 'Grim Reaper' also had no achievements in middle school.

Stop talking like that!

Kill 'em!

Anything might happen today too.

'Shinigami' Tatsuno Minowa VS 'Black Dancer' Fumika Sumida

GO!

AGAIN!

The 5-minute, 2-round match begins!!!!

Sumida: A sweep of the uniform.

From this strange stance, he caused upsets in the first qualifying round.

Both specialize in submissions, but Minowa has also incorporated strikes since last time.

Who will fall first, the "Grim Reaper"?

Or perhaps the "Dancing Princess"!!!

It's fine if it keeps going like that.

Neither of them is making a move...

Minowa's pressure is pushing us back.

Suzuki—

Here they come!

Senpai, left middle!

Rooo

It's a feint!!! Left straight!!

ガン

It's over

With the next blow

Alright!!!

What a reaction!!

No

But

Men

Into that blind spot!!!

Ouch

When they pull me closer

This much was within expectations, Mila

Hike!

!!

Face your opponent!!!

They read me!!!!

Face your oppo...

Creak

You're controlling it well while staying out of range of any counterattacks.

JO

Step your foot outside of them and face them!!!

Ah... I've never seen that kid get hit so hard before.

!!

Don't lower your head!!!!

Sumida's going for the kill!!!! A pound or a choke!?

Will the referee stop it? Will he stop it?

It's your friend's match, you should watch properly!

Why are you closing your eyes?!

That Minowa guy...

There's no way it'll end here!

Ugh

I can finally face it.

What happens if I don't believe in myself?!

Alright, Tatsuno!!

Kobuku-kun! Are you alright?

I can do this!!!

That's right, Minowa-san believed in me.

Will the God of Death strike back?

!?

A miraculous comeback strike!

To be continued in Round.

After School Girls Bout

A kick from below lands a clean hit!!

Sumida's movements have stopped!!

Mesmerized Kobutsu

Chapter 11 Tightened

My attack is all used up.

Ah

I have no choice but to finish them!!

Now for the grappling!

This is bad!!!

Pull your chin in!!

He's choking from below!!

Sode Guruma!!!!!

Ki

He's gonna get locked up!!!!

It's not a move you usually use from that position, but...

Tatsuno, take off your head!

Minowa, are you giving up?

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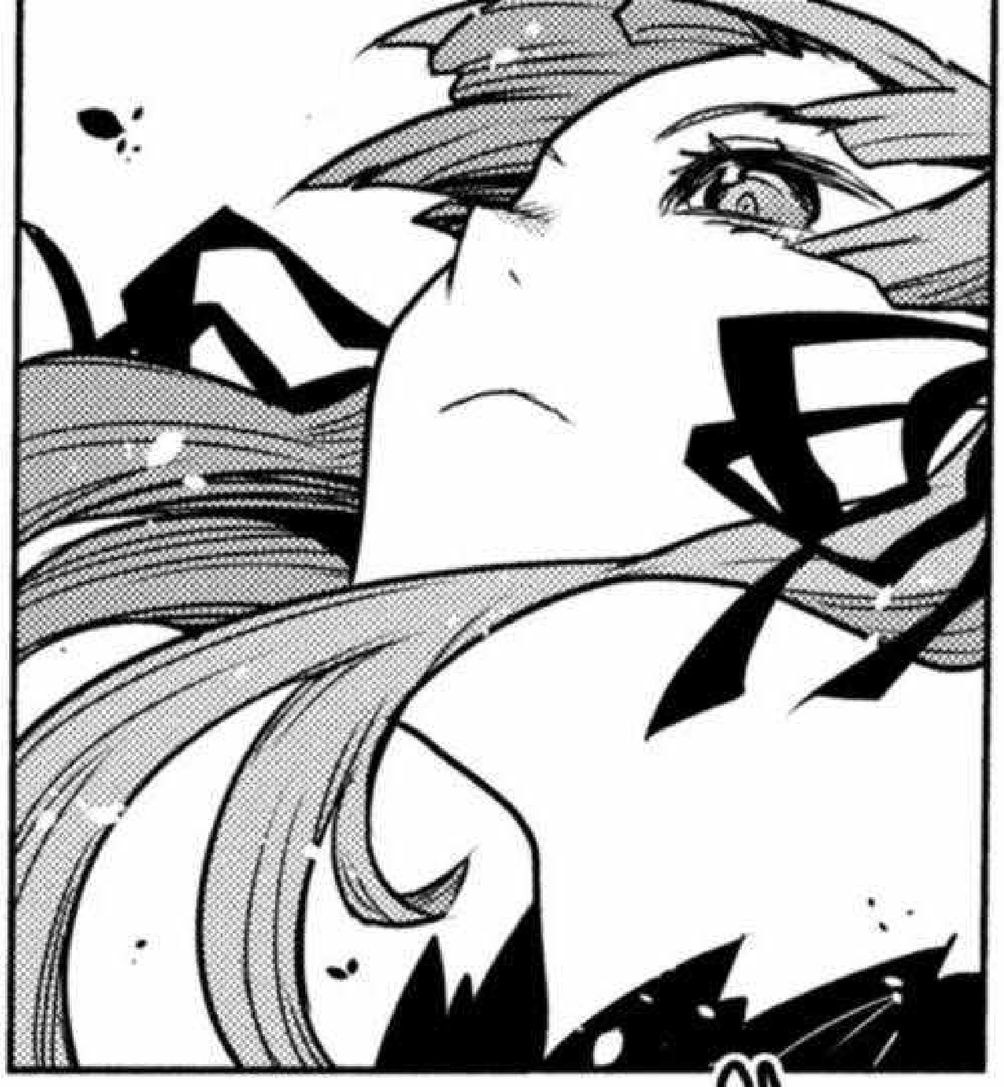


What's that?

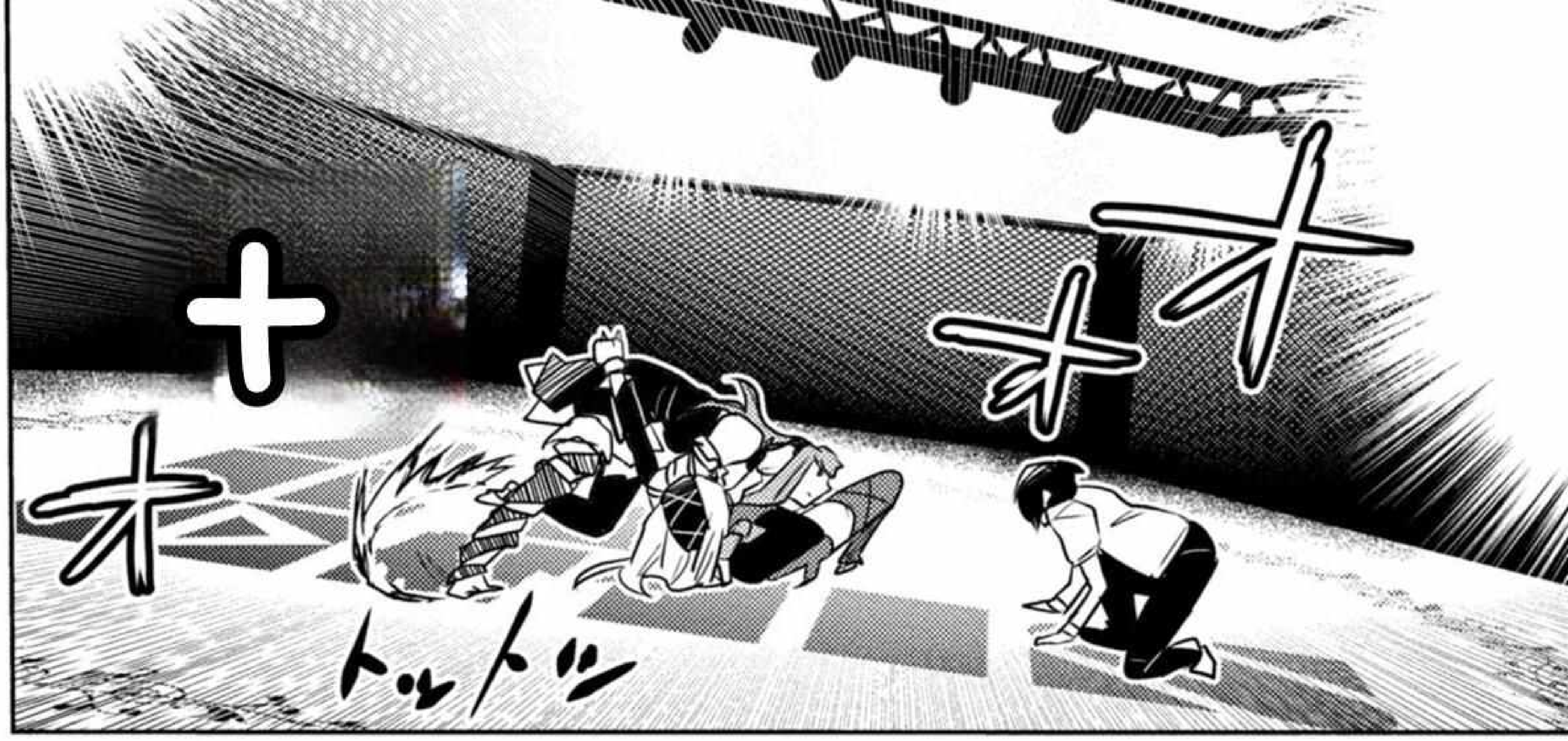
Whoa!!!

He's going for the baseball choke

Costumes can also be used this way

Restrain the opponent and take away their freedom

Thank you for teaching me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The Grim Reaper's "finale..."
This is こ……
Sumida giving up?

Sigh...

Sad

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STOP!!

It fell!!! It fell!!!

The winning technique was the 'Grim Reaper's Lock'!!!!

But a strong fight from the dark horse, pushing the favorite into a corner.

What a great hold!!!!!

It's not really tough

Doesn't seem broken

How's your jaw?

You fought well.

"The Black Dancer"

Sumida Fumika!!!!

I thought this time it wouldn't work.

Little Buddha, buy another bag of ice.

Wakaba doesn't understand.

Ah, you should be resting.

Thank you very much.

Mmm

If I couldn't use the IV, I wouldn't have won.

Luca

Ah, yes.

This is the Sang family's residence, right?

Sumida-san!!

Do you think it'll be alright?

I'd like to greet Minowa-san...

Wow, that's great, senpai!!!

I think it'll be fine. Shall we go together?

U-um...

That's good, I was glaring really hard...

Quite a different impression...

Is Minowa-san angry?

No, there was no sign of that, really...

What kind of chiropractic treatment did you get?

I know who did it too.

I know.

The reason I could win so many matches...

And you, who have almost no match experience...

Even though you don't know anything!!!

Are you saying you won thanks to that chiropractic adjustment!?

I can't see out of my left eye because of an old injury!

Senpai is...

Huh!?

Besides, it failed the pre-exam, so I shouldn't be able to compete!!!

It's too dangerous to fight in that condition!

I'll let you see with your left eye for 10 minutes, just once.

I honed my skills to grab the hem of their clothes to make up for my disadvantage, but...

Of course, I can't participate in the match.

It was then that that person appeared and said...

I really wanted to participate in the preliminary rounds, so...

Right before the examination I requested, ...

Because an amazing chance came in my final year...

Why would you go that far...

Na

Mu

Allah

Come on, senpai, you can do it!!!

I'm nervous.

What the hell are you staring at me for? Is this payback?!

She's cool, strong, and cute!

I'm a huge fan!

I totally copied her submission holds!

But more importantly than all of that,

Seeing him return after his injury...

I was so encouraged...!

And then I thought I'd fight him...

...I'll do my best too.

But

What a player!

Is that reaction speed the result of training?

There was only one treatment before the examination.

My old man, it wouldn't be strange for an accident to happen to him...!!!

14

It's definitely dangerous to fight with one eye not able to see.

If I hadn't healed him so half-heartedly, wouldn't he have avoided this kind of damage...?

But aren't you also putting yourself in danger competing, Minowa-san?

Is this okay...?

I...

Pi

Everyone!!!

It's out next month, please listen!!!

The fighting idol, Tamagawa Academy Arts Course, 2nd year, Miyako Fumino, has descended into the cage!!!

Her new song 'Love is 50/50' rings out!!

And mountains and

Ta

TEFIS

Hey!

Miyako-chaaan...

Myaa

ETLIS

I'm a fan, so I couldn't help myself...

You're Machida-senpai's opponent!!

!!

Azabu-sensei

That's-...

I have a favor to ask! ♪

What is it?

Um, you see-

ぷっぷっ
ぷっぷ

This is so annoying~!!

They're using ARTEMIS for advertising~!

What's up? Going home in uniform?

No way!!

Captain!

It was a tradition to play the first match in uniform

It's not a weird tradition

I totally lost.

It was just a practice match, but

Besides, this wasn't the captain's first match, was it?

...

It was the match I finally got to play in, and I was so frustrated...

That feeling of wanting to get stronger back then

I tried to remember it.

My three years

Remaining time

1 minute!

She's going to attack!

Let me sing a new song!!!!

This match will end in 1 minute.

To be continued in Round 12.

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ize

Stop that mewling!

I just hope the boss doesn't get overwhelmed by the atmosphere.

At

on

Meeeow

Goo-maa!!!

e

What are YOU gonna do if you get overwhelmed!!!

カタ カタ

Wakaba-chan, are you okay?

ot

It's okay

The boss's three years...

Me? Me?

When I thought this match might be the end..!

Round 12 覚悟

The chairman is strong.

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YAMAMAAA!!!

The previous work "Naked LOVE", which generated buzz for its participation ticket to the bare-hug competition, reached number 1 in its first week.

This is Ms. Machida's last tournament, right? ♪

Ahead of the release of their new song, they're predicting a victory in 1 minute and a mini-live performance!

That's right.

You've been working hard at martial arts for 3 years!

I'd like to believe that.

"Hard work always pays off" ♪

I'm just playing around, so I really admire you!

みゃー-?!!

To the corner!

みゃー-?!!

It's okay, it won't be in vain.

Fifty

Your three years of practice and achievements,

WHAM!!

All of it

Your sweat, your tears, your hard work,

That sounds great!

Will Wakaba have a second?

Pla

To my brilliance

Wakaba

It's an important match, so someone better than me...

A second's job

Getting the athletes motivated is also

change it

Oops, it's starting!

Little Buddha Senpai, come with me!!!!

Set

AHEAD

!!

Huh!?

I'm going around to TV stations for a new song promo tomorrow.

I won't let my face get hit! ♪

Here it is! The "Idols live by their looks" guard!!!!

Machida-san, please watch too ♪

I'm prioritizing entertainment work over the match!!!!

ANO

Even for self-promotion, that's quite something.

That's what I'd like to say, but

You get to take advantage of me however you like...

I earned my seeded position through my own skills!

Achieving results in a single match

And then a forward roll!!!

He grabbed from behind!!!

Ah

What!!! The place it passed through my legs is...

Ankle hold!!!!

Is this okay~

See, see, your ankle is going to be crushed ♪

Are you alright,■ (Bucho - Department Head)!!

You're so noisy!!!!!

Doma!!

Twist the one that's being twisted!!!!

Aoo

All right!

Is it about time ♪

Now everyone ♪

Watch only me.

I won't let you go!!!! Achilles Tendon Hold!!!! Is this locked in?!

This is...

Meeeow!!!

rte

Ah!!

What's going on?

Please cheer for me together

You're the one who told me to come, right!?

Everyone came!

No way

They're the ones who quit the club...

Don't say that.

We came here to laugh at the person's end, after all.

みゃー?!!

Who would support that kind of abusive woman?!

Aite—?!!

It's fun!

We're all practicing together at the Community Gymnasium right now.

The captain is different now.

Just leave her be and come over here, Wakaba!!!

みゃー?!!

We're about ready to enter a tournament as a club.

みゃー?!!

Hap...

What is it?

Everyone joined the martial arts club because they admired our club president!!

That's why you joined, right!!

We talked about it after club activities, didn't we!!!!

But our club president...

Because you still have that feeling you came all the way to the venue, didn't you!?

Aren't you frustrated...?

If you lose to someone who only sees martial arts as a promotion...

That's enough!

Fyaaaah!!!

Machidaaa!!

Fightttttt!!

Metropolitan Kuwafu Kendo Club!!

te

mood

You're totally in the zone, you~!!!!!

Tooo?!!

A minute has already passed!!!!

No one's even watching!!!!

Don't be so persistent, you plain girl like you

Machidaaa!!

Machida, are you there?

心のお客様 It's disturbing others, so please return to your seats.

That's right!

Don't stand! We can't see!!!!

みゃー?!!

みゃー?!!

This This This

まおおお

Martial Arts Club--!!

Toritsu Kuwafu

Fight Ooooh!!!

This

° Machida--!!!

This is happening.

Oh?

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I'll beat you. Machida!

Machida Fight!!

Mya-ma!

e-ゃー?!!

Let's shift the ankle point!!

That's it, Captain!!! Unlock your knees

Alright, shifted it!!!!

Tradition...

I can't lose...

If they call that out!!!

They're unhappy!!!! Let's keep hitting away!

Tap, tap, tap, tap

Tap, tap, tap, tap

To genuinely bare my fangs

This is 'Wolf of the Metropolis'

Winner!!

By a 2-1 decision

Machida Miwa!!!!

A close call!!! Miyako Fumino loses!!!

I suppose they favored Machida's offense and positioning.

A-kun lost... She was so strong...

Ms. Machida ♪

If I lose here, it'll be bad for publicity!

What do you expect me to do about it?

You better buy my new song!!!

I thought about what would happen if I lost to someone like that.

That was close.

Miyako!

So that's what a pro's spirit is like.

Even though you're busy, you've been training properly...

In the end, I didn't let them land a single blow.

Take care.

Congratulations, dear...

Thank you, Wakaba.

The call came through.

Minowa and Machida, please remain in the cage.

The same metropolitan school's players will challenge last year's finalists!!!!

We will now announce the matchups for next week's semifinals!!!

Matsūra Kozasa of Fuchū International, 3rd year, the 'Sword Emperor,' who competed against Naitō in last year's final!

Facing that Matsūra is...

Challenging that thick wall of ice is the 'Metropolitan Wolf,'

The 'Ice Queen' who has dominated West Tokyo for two years.

Naitō Yotsuya of Gyoen Girls, 3rd year!!!

The Grim Reaper...

Huh?

AHO

I thought you were a softie watching the match, but

This looks like it's going to be a fun match.

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U19 Rules (Match Duration: 5 minutes, 2 Rounds)

Prohibited Actions: Scratching, pinching, or poking with nails; Biting; Attacks to genitals, eyes, mucous membranes, ears, mouth, or spine; Joint locks on fingers; Pulling hair; Headbutts; Attacks with weapons or tools.

Prohibited Actions Regarding Match Costumes: Costumes that violate public order and morals or the healthy development of minors; Application of oils or friction-reducing substances; Unauthorized paints; Costumes with spikes or sharp protrusions; Accessories.

U16 Rules (Match Duration: 4 minutes, 2 Rounds)

Prohibited Actions: All prohibitions set forth in U19 Rules; All striking on the ground; Knee strikes to the face; Leg locks other than Achilles lock or knee bar; Twister, Keylock; Slamming a grounded opponent.

Wearing of items other than tournament-designated shorts, rash guard (blue/white), elbow pads, and knee pads.

U13 Rules (Match Duration: 3 minutes, 1 Round)

Prohibited Actions: All prohibitions set forth in U19 and U16 Rules; Hand strikes to the face; Slams that drop the opponent on their back of the head, such as Osoto Gari, Power Bomb, etc.

Prohibited Actions Regarding Match Costumes: Wearing of items other than tournament-designated shorts, rash guard (blue/white), elbow pads, and knee pads.

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Because I've never lost before.

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Matsuura Kozasa's "In-Yo" from the counter!!

It's decided!!!

One-hit kill!!! No need for a second strike!!!!

Collapsing!! The referee stopped it!!

Whoa

Urgh!!!

Aki, mix in some right hooks and attacks starting with right kicks.

Dodging Matsuura's iron hammer strike, "In-Yo," with a step back and tackling.

We'll repeat this until the match.

Sto

Dammit, stop poking ≀ me! ≀

Kobutsu-kun

If I take even one hit...

My opponent is the best striker in West Tokyo.

Next time, I'll punch you right in the face!

That may be true, but...

My left ankle, which was trapped...

How about you, captain?

Yeah... just as I thought.

Aren't you overworked?

Red

It's better to stop around this much...

Manager!

Try stepping in another half-step.

Your tackle wasn't bad.

It's okay, let me do it a little longer.

Since a good practice partner came today

Maybe it's because I'm away from the club's hierarchy

It's nice that a former member came, the club president seems so happy

It's like my older sister is teaching her younger sisters

It's less like I'm the one practicing

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お姉ちゃん

That's nice

ホッ

Haa

ゴク

You used to train every day, after all.

It's been so long since we've had juice together after club activities like this, Wakaba.

The gym really is the best~!

The City Gymnasium has tatami mats, you see~

Speaking of which, it's been a while since I've practiced on the mats too!

Tackling scrapes you up

So... Well then...

Won't you... come back to the Martial Arts Club...?

I can't keep up anymore...

For training that dedicates everything to matches like⊠⊠ and Minowa-senpai,

I'm really enjoying martial arts right now!

I'll just enjoy myself leisurely in the club.

Minowa-senpai!!!

But⊠⊠!

We will give the traditional cheer to the two of you before the match!!!!

Then, although we are mere juniors,

Call me if you need strength!

Go for it!!!!

Machida
Miwa
Minowa
Tatsu
Joined

You two are our pride!!!

Please do your best in the match!

!?

Nope

Big sis

Yeah...

Huh?

We absolutely have to win next time too, right?

The Nishi Tokyo Tournament, it's finally the semi-finals!!

Fukuchō International High School

VS

Minowa Tatsuno, from Tokyo Kuwabu High School.

I feel like something's different.

It's nothing.

I wonder, Minowa-san.

Everything has a dark side and a light side.

The dangerous meeting of the Grim Reaper's scythe, whose seal has been broken, and the Sword Emperor's demonic sword.

This match cannot end without one of them falling!!!

RT

When you came to Tokyo, I saw a shadow in you.

Why did you temporarily seal that and resort to grappling?

A strike once delivered to the "Shinigami"

That is the true nature of Shinigami.

They looked strong only because the opponent's skill was low.

What...!

...No

This is a region where the competitive level is incomparable to Tokyo.

You reached your limit with striking and ran away to grappling... is that it?

Hey, you son of a bitch!!!

There used to be a real "Grim Reaper" in that district.

Compared to her,

You're a fake sword.

Huh?

All that training might be for nothing.

Aki, I'm sorry.

Kobutsu-kun, you can handle 4 shots, right?

Huh? Yeah.

OG

AHEAD

!!

Mr.
Matsuura

I
touched
something
I
shouldn't
have
touched...

!!

What?

Suddenly!?

Yo
This
is

Stop!!!

This is Shadow !!!

Roar

He's stopping shadows!!

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Round.14 Intertwined

Stopped right before the scoop on him!!!!

A body blow hidden within the finishing hammer blow

Sword Emperor

Fukoku International, Year 3, Yotsuyo Naito

165cm 56kg
Southpaw

VS

Shinagami (Death God) Tatsuno Minowa

Toritsu Kuwafu, Year 2

163cm 57kg
Southpaw

Then even more

To the sun!!!!

From the shade/darkness

KUU

You can use it like this, not just for punching!?
He dodged the body blow and knocked him down!

!!

Ah

…!?

Huh... what?

Alright!

I've gotten up!!!

I won't pursue you at Minowa Ground!!!!

MA

So you're saying you won't use a submission hold, huh?

Haha...

Matsuura-san!!

Oops!?

Only the real ones can defeat Naito and go nationwide.

I'll crush the fakes.

That's not it!

That's the 'Mokamae' (no stance/no guard)!

Matsuura-san has dropped his guard!

This is the scariest stance!!

A natural stance that doesn't reveal where it's coming from.

This year is the last.

My path to nationals was blocked by Naito twice in the past.

Am I at a level where I can defeat Naito?

Are my 3 years of training my real power?

My opponent is 'The Grim Reaper', Tatsuno Minowa

I'll prove myself here!!!

Give me an order, Yamachan!!!!

NWAHHH!!!

Lee

But... they've given up their strategy too.

If I can't rely on Kobutsu-kun in Tokyo, it's all for nothing!

If I lose here, I won't be able to compete nationally.

If they get angry, they won't listen to me anymore.

He took the bait! He's going to fight!

Let's believe in the Grim Reaper.

2 hits remaining

1 Remaining

You

Tatsuno Minowa

It's real.

However,

I can't fall yet!

The blows are already...

Minowa, you can't!!!

Th

!!

This

Stop

Stop!!

We only exchanged a few blows!!!

The one who won this intense battle of blows was

Minowa-san, are you dislocating your knee!?

Don't move your head!!!

Hurry with the stretcher!!!!

'The Grim Reaper' Tatsuno Minowa!!!

:

Kobuke-san

!!

The end~

NIK
RT

I might have torn my knee ligament.

No, not at all.

Isn't it heavy?

It is helpful to have boys around, after all.

Here?

Come up.

Hey.

Take it easy.

I'm in Mino Tatsuno's room...

Tatsuno!! Clean up properly!!!

Her clothes and practice gear are always left out. Normally, she doesn't even wear loungewear, she's NAKED...

That's unexpected.

Tatsuno is incredibly lazy.

It's just like what I heard at the hospital earlier.

More importantly! How's Tatsuno's knee!?

One week until the match...

The impact of falling has damaged my ACL and meniscus so badly I can't walk.

Let's forfeit.

My opinion is the same as the doctor's.

Kobutsusan

Can't you make it so I can walk?

Hey...

Normally, that's true, but with the Kobutsu style...

This isn't something for chiropractic manipulation!

I want to compete/play.

Me

No, you can't.

Since there's next year too...

It's an injury that will heal with time, so there's no need to take risks.

Did you forget why your striking ability stopped working?

Can I turn on the TV?

Unn

SPORTS GRASP!!

This is the semi-final of the much-talked-about Artemis West Tokyo Tournament!!!

The two of them

The Tokyo Metropolitan schools are making a huge leap forward!

And now, The much-anticipated Machida Miwa, the 'Wolf of Tokyo'!

And facing her is...

In the hitting duel, Minowa Tatsuno scores a quick KO against Matsuura Kosasa!

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West Tokyo Tournament Two-Time Champions, "The Ice Queen"

Naito's Evening Radiance!!

Will the Queen win for the third consecutive year, or will a new heroine emerge from the Tokyo Metropolitan schools!?

With the Queen's appearance, the atmosphere in the venue becomes serious.

It's okay, Wakaba.

G
000

It's not forced, nor is it desperate...

Machida-san has such a great expression.

I was so frustrated after losing my first match that I worked hard until I reached the top 8.

I've grown stronger by using my losses as motivation.

I don't feel like I'll lose to you now!

Things are going well.

I lost the trust of the club members too...

And this year, I was crushed by that 'Grim Reaper'.

...Is that so?

To the corner!

カタ

CC

I've never lost before.

AHEAD

!!

A wolf has stepped into the Ice Kingdom!!!

To be continued in Round.15

Round 15 Queen

Minowa-san

Get up by yourself!

Wakaba, come pick me up!

Okay then, meet in front of the venue at 9:30 tomorrow.

We

We will definitely go to the nationals.

That dream has come so close to being fulfilled.

Even if just one of us reaches the nationals...

We're the ones going!

The Kuwofu High School Martial Arts Club!!!!

Only one person can go to the nationals, Minowa.

Aki, that's not what I meant...

It's our win!

Ice Queen: Eon, Girls' 3rd Year, Yoru Naito

162cm, 60kg, Orthodox stance

VS

Metropolitan Academy's Wolf: Miwa Machida

Metropolitan Kuwafu, 3rd Year

167cm, 61kg, Orthodox stance

This is fine.

Machida is keeping her distance and striking.

The results of the win/loss predictions are in.

If they let them take that position...

They absolutely cannot concede a goal.

Naito Yatsuyo has taken an overwhelming lead...

235,133 votes versus 106 votes!!!

A swift tackle to counter the low kick!!!!

Fast!!

Whoa!!!

Right, right! Lower your hips!

Let's push up using your right elbow!

How about this?

He countered with an arm lock!!!!

About a year ago... no, since middle school

Mr. Naito, I've been watching you

The cause is an old jaw injury from practice in middle school

Two withdrawals from the national tournament

The Queen's biggest weakness

That spot

Thud

!!

A blow is...

Gambling is not admirable.

The surest way is to immobilize them before striking.

It's certain.

Boss! Look up!

I'll block it later.

It's okay.

The guillotine is coming!

shoulder
1?

Once you're in that position, it's over...

Not yet!!!

Whatever you do, don't let yourself get pinned!

In this spot

My three years

Let's bet!!

About to turn the tables!!! Caught in an armlock!!

As I said...

I can't make it from this angle!!

But

Gambling is not admirable.

Don't let me pass...

My head absolutely...

Ah...

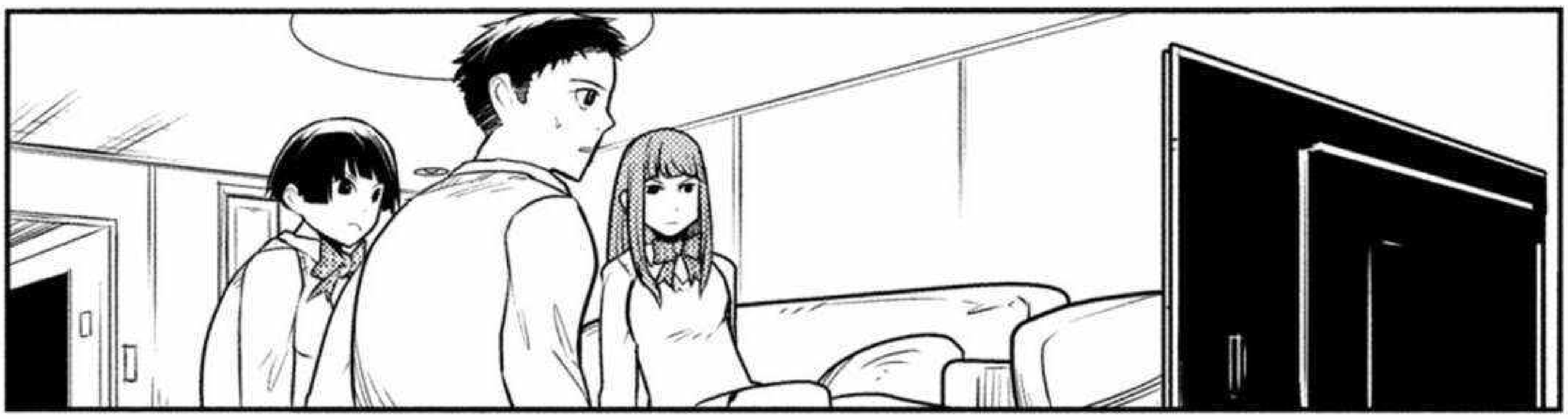
I ended up in that pose...

Queen's Darkness!!

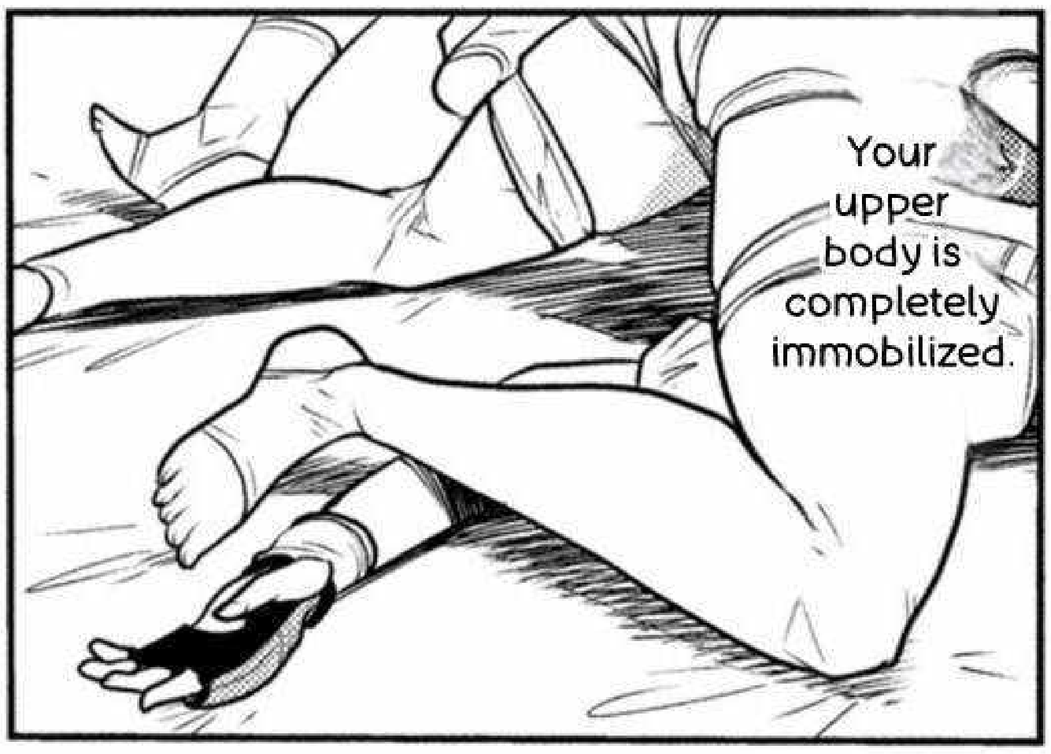
You can only land a blow in this pose...

My lungs are crushed...!!!

It's certain.



You'll just get hit.
Once it comes to this, there's no turning back.


Your upper body is completely immobilized.

Pinned down, a trembling expression.

I've seen it many times.

And...

The department head is

3 minutes 15 seconds

AT THIS

Towel thrown in!!!

Sekonda

By TKO

Calm down Machida! It's over

He should have chosen to stand up there.

Naito Yatsuya is the winner!!

A match isn't a gamble

Section Chief, Section Chief, Section Chief...!!

No player has escaped "The Queen's Darkness"!

The Metropolitan Wolf has been defeated!!!

I'm sorry, I'm sorry, I'm sorry...

I'm sorry, I'm sorry.

The second made the right call.

Thank you, Wakaba.

I just carelessly threw in the towel...

I...

The department chief hasn't lost!!!

I haven't lost yet.

We have.

It looks difficul' to get in.

Strike

That hit by the wall is tough.

This means the finals are Naito, Minowa...

Ah, what a shame, Machida player.

Yeah, let's watch from the beginning.

Did you record Yama-chan?

Ah, ...

Kobutsukun, lend me the remote.

You intend to play?

...are you? ...

Naito won't be there next year, you know?

You intend to waste it?

What the department head tried to connect us to.

Of course.

We're going!

Kobutu-san

Only you can do it.

Please let me fight Naito-san.

But...

If I use that secret technique my old man used,

I'm sure I can do it.

It's not like I can make it perfect.

My punches will also become unusable!

Is it okay to make him fight such a strong opponent in that condition?

But,

Wouldn't that make me the same as my old man?!

This feeling

I can't stop

I want to protect their hope!!!

With my hands, everyone's

Minowa-san,
Yamagata-san

Sorry

Please
wait for
my
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AFTER SCHOOL GIRLS BOUT

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PRESENTS

AFTER SCHOOL GIRLS

Round. 16 Determination

First, a warning from the police.

Let's start the return homeroom~

They say ticket scalpers will appear near the venue.

I think some of you will be going to support Tatsuno-chan this weekend.

And about the final exams~

Good kids aren't allowed to follow, okay~

We'll get close to the true faces of the promising athletes!

Today's Sports GRASP / # ARTEMIS West Tokyo Tournament Special Feature!

Metropolitan Sanggong High School Kendo Club

Despite having only six club members

Kyoto Sanggong High School

And

The 'Metropolitan Wolf' Miwa Machida

Even though it's a metropolitan school, it's gathering quiet attention!

With that 'Grim Reaper' Tatsuno Minowa

You really punched him seriously, Wakana, even though it was a practice match!!!

You were the one who started it!

Stop it, both of you!

Since the club members have unique personalities, we can practice in various situations, and the club atmosphere is good...

Q: Please tell us about your strengths.

I asked those members about their impressions of the players.

They fight like cats and dogs, which means they're close.

He's a good guy~ Even if he's weaker than me.

Ugh

Didn't you say you wanted to practice with me?

Ah

Minowa~

Club president Machida is strong, kind, and a little stubborn, but that's cute too. I love her!

Ah, I said it!

He made a shocking transfer to this district from Nagano Prefecture.

There are probably many people who are interested in this player.

Minowa Tatsuno

A miraculous return from an injury that threatened his career

But

There are still many voices saying his physical condition is not perfect

From the fact that he renewed his fight style,

He must have been worried, right?

To return in that condition

I was worried.

But

Everyone, be careful on your way home~

Rather than regretting not doing it,

I want to regret having done it.

I heard he got injured, I wonder if he'll be okay for the finals...

Minowa-san didn't come today.

Oh dear.

That guy...

Kobutsu-shi

Let's go home.

You've really become a kendo club member.

What am I doing?

Isn't club activities off today...

Thud

Senpai, please!

Little Buddha

It's become a habit to come here after school.

What's it to you!

My body just brought me here!

There's no club practice today...

I'm the one who's going to make our captain's dream come true!

No way, no way!

Next year, I'll win the West Tokyo tournament!

We just happened to run into each other there and...

I thought no one else would be here either.

So we came here to practice together.

No?

There's no time before the finals.

Director...
Director!

I even fought Naito directly.

I figured you'd want a sparring partner.

Minowa-san

Kyaaaah!!

Amazing!!

I'm falling in love all over again!

But this is the day after the match! The damage...

Kobutsu-kun

My senior charged in during sparring and hit his head on that.

See that scratch on the wall over there?

From the stains on the mat to the nicks on the mitts,

they are all filled with so many memories and history,

Take all of that with you.

We, the Kofu High School Combat Club, are going to the nationals!

Don't worry about it.

This is just my dream.

Right?

Mr. Minowa

Even if I say that...

Kobuke-kun

If he nods his head, then...

But there's still hope.

I went to the hospital today, and they said it's no good.

Not those legs...

Kobutsu-kun has his own circumstances, you know.

Wouldn't it be pitiful if you pressured him!!!!

Don't look at me like that, everyone!

It's just that it would be good if those things matched.

Everyone has different things they want to do and different goals, right?

Martial arts and individual sports are different from team sports.

What I want to do...

It's not about what other people are doing,

Kobutsu-kun, what do you want to do?

My attacks will become unusable again.

...even if I can walk.

It doesn't matter.

I want to go to nationals with this team.

I'll heal you.

I broke the same curse as Dad.

Sorry, Grandpa.

but if doing it or not doing it is all the same,

It might end up being something I regret,

But if I don't do it now, I'll definitely regret it later.

Change of clothes

I'd rather regret having done it!

I am grateful

To Kobutsu and to my father

Even though I took your attack away?

I'm more afraid of not being able to fight than the risks or my opponent...

It's something I wanted for myself.

Thank you

I can fight again

I'm glad I came to this department...

I hardened and coated the fine muscles near the affected area.

Amazing, Kobutsu!

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With striking movements, the solidification dissolves and comes off, you see.

We need to think about countermeasures against Naito that don't involve striking.

One shot...

I adjusted it so it can withstand just one shot.

Let's get started!

I'll think of ways to reduce the burden too!

Ka...

It's the match tomorrow, but...

It all began with ARTEMIS when I sponsored the High School Martial Arts Championship Tokyo Tournament 20 years ago.

The Nishi-Tokyo Tournament is finally reaching its finals!

I never imagined it back then.

Drop it!!
Minowa Tatsuno
of Toritsu Kuukan
High School

To be able to see a final of this level...

I have a feeling today's match will be the best one yet.

Inside the Ring: The 'Ice Queen' Night Glimmer of Fights!, Naito!!

Facing her is the Grim Reaper who suddenly descended upon West Tokyo.

In the previous match, she also took down Miwa Machida, the 'Wolf of the Metropolis!', with overwhelming strength.

Tatsuno
Minowa!

Yes!!!

Let's win!

Following
Round.

Round.17 Queen

The West Tokyo area has the largest number of participants in the competition nationwide.

It is a testament to your skill that you have survived until now.

I will show you what the pinnacle of West Tokyo truly is.

In other words, the competitive level can be said to be the highest.

She really thinks she's the queen.

I thought 'Queen' was just a nickname, but

You're quite something.

An undefeated national champion, inheriting the legend of the 'King of the Underworld'!

Even a queen would find it beneath her.

The title befitting me is 'Queen'.

Wait...!?

Huh?

'King of the Underworld'... you say?

Now that I've heard that name,

I have an even greater need to win.

This is bad, this feeling...

Minowa-san, calm down!

Am I going to lose control again!?

!!

Will it be the Queen or the Grim Reaper who advances to the nationals!!!!

I'm fine.

This time, it's not a fight for me alone.

Which one will the goddess smile upon!!!

GO AHEAD!!

Ice Queen Gyoen, 3rd Year, Night Glamour Naito

162cm, 60kg, Orthodox

VS

Grim Reaper Tatsuro Minowa

Toritsu Kuwabu, 2nd Year

163cm, 57kg, Southpaw

But if I can't hit, I can't escape.
Naito will tackle and aim for the Queen's Chamber.

Stay close but not too close, Tatsuno.

Aim for me.

If so, I'll consciously let him touch me.

The stance will shift from orthodox vs. orthodox to orthodox vs. southpaw.

Their stances are "Kenka Yotsu" (mixed martial arts stance).

Right there,

A single-leg tackle with the lead leg.

Followed by a front choke.

Oh

The right hook at Kilometers struck down 'The Reaper'!

Oh, the tackle was a feint!

No, I just made an excuse!

Somehow I grabbed on!!!!

Move, move! It's fine if we separate and stand!

Huh?

It's quite effective!

That's...

Minowa-san, at a time like this...

You're smiling.

That smile.

...

It's the same.

Get back into your stance!!

Like that time

Your pull is slow!

You'll get caught that way!!!!

Don't let your guard down after you finish!

So-so

That Yamagata guy said, 'You're only a first-year...'

Since the game is off,

Just after I enrolled, I was diagnosed with a brain tumor.

Hey!!!! No talking during class!

Well, fewer rivals is better...

Even so, I don't want you to take it out on the players.

It's a shame she's switching to a behind-the-scenes role after being such a promising genius.

Even if they hate me, I'll produce results!!!!

I've decided to aim to be the best in Japan as a trainer!

I don't care!

He's back again, that amateur.

We don't accept beginners.

You're persistent.

I've told you many times.

Hm... Yeah.

I'll make them give up.

Sensei, won't you let me handle this?

Aren't town dojos or clubs okay?

Even if you were allowed in, I don't think a beginner could keep up.

Why do you want to join us?

Is this a sisterly spat? They're underestimating martial arts.

Hmph.

For that, you need a high-level club... or rather,

Hmph hmph. I want to fight the older sister who practices martial arts.

I'll give you an entrance exam.

A barrage of middle kicks.

I'll give you a task no amateur could ever do.

I don't care about the form, so...

If

Don't think you can do whatever you want!!!

But 1,000 consecutive kicks!

If you stop, you're disqualified!!!

That genius with the joy of touching martial arts was smiling carefree.

That kid is really persistent too!

Staying late again today?

This is the one! The one I'll aim for the top in Japan with!!!!

I have to practice more than everyone else!!!

I started later than everyone else!

You're a natural! You can't practice at the same level as everyone else!!

After this, I'm going to a kickboxing gym for practice!

ARTEMIS Nagano Prefecture First Round

No... Second is my friend, but

Chikuma's next opponent is... Who is that? Do you know them?

Ueda, the favorite to win, got knocked out in one go...

Asahi ...

You have to keep attacking until the referee stops it! You won't get anywhere in the nationals like that!!!

You'll be absolutely shocked when you hear who my sparring partner is today!!!

When I mentioned your name, they immediately said, "We'd love to have you as a sparring partner!"

The 'Grim Reaper' has become quite famous, hasn't he~!

I was the one who negotiated it. Phew, it was tough!

...That was a lie, though.

This is a secret from Sensei, too!!

MG

But it violates ARTEMIS's pro-amateur rules,

Here, Tatsuno, say hello!!!!

It's "Pluto" Azumi Omachi!

The living legend who won every match with a single move against ARTEMIS!!!!

Now active as a pro

PLUTO

Nice to meet you

PLUTO

Okay? Tatsuno

I didn't come here to lend you my chest.

Khalid

With the you you are now, it won't be an embarrassing spar.

Your name and the King of the Underworld.

Burn it into your memory!

!!?

I'm an idiot.

Ugh...

PLUTO

What has happened...

Tatsuno... Tatsuno!!!

To think I'd do something like this to a high school student...!!

Azumi!!!

I learned it later.

Can we make it to Nationals?

Even someone as pathetic as this...

ARTEMIS, what a fall from grace.

Countless stress fractures are visible in various places.

Today's injury is serious, but...

It's like a traffic accident.

Tatsuno was the younger half-sister of Fumachi Azumi.

She's in no condition to return to school while still enrolled in high school.

That kid's body was already falling apart before she even started sparring.

Was there really a need to push her that hard?

You're a trainer, aren't you?

I was just thinking about getting results...

Sorry, sorry!

It wasn't fun, was it...

Now that I think about it, you haven't smiled once since then...

I...

!!

I destroyed Tatsuno!!!!

Why are you apologizing...?

I like fighting, and I enjoy getting stronger.

Yamachan told me that.

I want to become stronger than my older sister.

Yam-chan, train me more!

That's great, Tatsuno.

It's right here.

What do you want to do...

To be continued in Round 18.

Round.18 Match

ARTEMIS West Tokyo Tournament Finals

Naito Yotsuya, the 'Ice Queen,' continues her offensive!!!

Don't let her get your back!!!!

You're going to get pinned!!!!

!!

Tatsuno!!!

Naito shows off his exceptional ground control!!

Bar

He pinned him down

Lee

If this continues, she'll drag him into the Queen's darkness!

Naito's holds are powerful!

Allah,
Ver

What is the grim reaper planning after returning to guard!?
He gave it back so easily...!

Naito's hold, which made me taste bitterness twice

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What is this!?

...!

SHIT

hahaha

Platter!!!!

The one strangling my throat with my shin won't come off!!

Whoa!

A complete reversal from a major disadvantage!!

The Grim Reaper's scythe around the Queen's neck...

I forcefully removed it~!!!!

This

Tatsuno, stand up!

Stand up, stand up!!!

Naito again tries to pin him down!!!!

Stand up, stand up

Stand up, stand up!!

Stand... up...

After taking all those hits and using my strength in that submission hold...

I've been pinned down again!!!!

Whether or not I still have the strength to reverse it...

For that purpose,

I will inherit the King of the Underworld.

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I must overcome my own wall as well.

We'll have your support with this.

For you

Minowa-san!!

Senpai, move!!!!

Minowa!!

Tatsuno!!

Minowa-san!!

He's smiling!!!

Mr. Minowa

...Alright, I'm good!

I'll just become the King of the Underworld.

And you...

I-

I'll surpass the King of the Underworld!!!

It's moving!
It's moving!!!
As if it hadn't
taken any
damage!!!!

!!
Is
the
Shinigami
immortal?

I'm not
immortal!

I
know
that
best.

How much
Minowa-san's
body is
injured

But

Many
bones
are
broken
too

He's
not an
immortal
Shinigami

Tatsuno, keep your back up and let's take our time!!

My spirit has never been broken!!!

!?

Stand up

Oops, Naito!

Minowa too... damn, that guy's a monster...

That's right

Slamming Minowa from behind!!!!

That's who I get to fight!

Yes, it's in!

Sorry, I couldn't manage five shots yet...

Joint locks really hurt, you know!

Why do you always go for the submission holds, Minowa?

What are you doing, you idiot!!

Owwwww!

This is how Kimura does it!

If I keep holding on, it'll come off like it did earlier.

Even with an opponent like that, I can't endure a chokehold.

He comes at you even with his joints broken.

A monster?

Maybe so.

...What on earth are you planning to fight?

Uh, a naked choke?

This technique...

Do you know another name for this technique?

Lion

Matareon

What

Naito's movement has finally stopped!!!

It doesn't look like the arm is properly in the neck, though...

The Queen's face contorted in agony for the first time.

I'll see it!!!!

It's a face lock!

The jaw is what's being squeezed!

Naito gives up!

And that body scissors!

This must be incredibly painful!!

It's digging in deep with Minowa's leg strength.

If he inserts his arm...

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After that, with the jaw raised from the pain...

Allah

You're a monster...

Minowa, the 'Grim Reaper', had him cornered in the late rounds!!!!

Naito, the 'Queen', dominated the early rounds!!!!

And here's the bell to end the round!!

Playing a queen is tough

The match moves to the next round!!!!

It's not just that

Your body is screaming from years of accumulation

It must have really hurt the old scar on your jaw, and your ribs too

What is it?

You must be joking

Just for the next round, it'll remove the pain from your body

Press hard under your left ear

If I were to fall for your sweet words,

I am no longer Naito Yotsuya.

I was always... alone.

There's one shot, don't forget it!

Let's go for broke on the next one.

I don't have anything I want to do

I don't have any friends

My mother isn't coming back

When I found out that was my older sister

I thought... I want to do this too...

How brilliant and cool...

It was then that I saw that person's complete victory

Is my memory jumbled from the 7 blows of damage?!

Minowa-san!

It's okay.

Do you know where we are?

When I started martial arts, it was just me and Yama-chan.

I still thought I could get stronger.

Thanks to everyone.

Thank you.

Treatment isn't the goal, it's the means.

We should be thanking you.

To make someone else's dream come true!

I wouldn't have realized it if you hadn't transferred here.

Second out!!!

But...

Pooo

You winning and coming back to the club with a smile.

What happens after the dream comes true is also important.

This is my dream!

I'll get one!!!!

Second out, second out!!!!

I will definitely win.

Takao-kun.

Final Recalculation

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The Tokyo West Tournament finals are finally in the last round!

Will it be

Final Round, Passion

the Grim Reaper!!

the Queen!!!!

Tatsuno thanking everyone...

Not yet!

Thank you, Kobutsu-kun...

I... I can't...

It is

It's because Minowa-san won!!!!

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I can read your thoughts

With that much damage interval, you won't recover quickly

I'm betting on a surprise attack

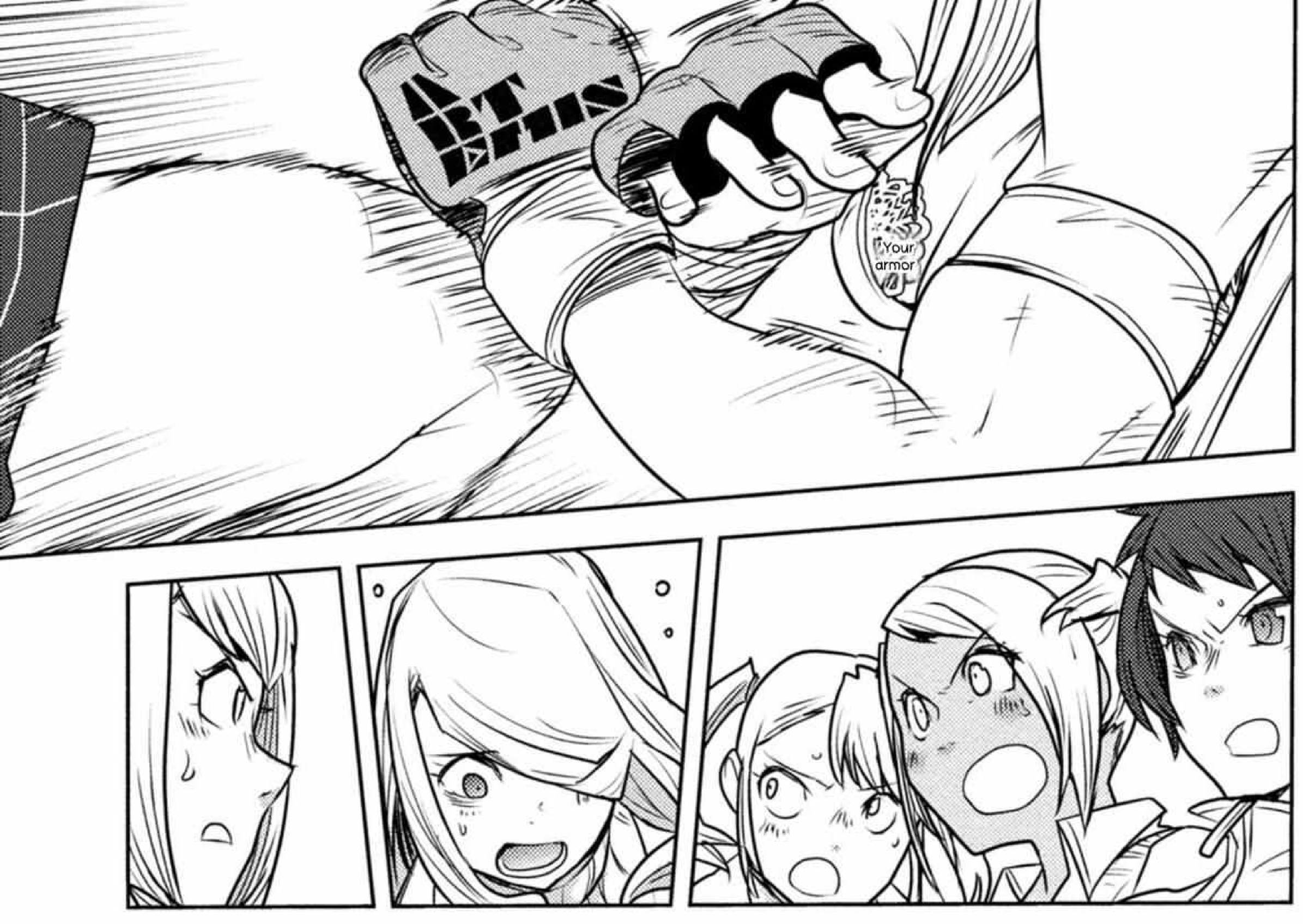
Same as Machida-san

The target is

You're going to use NUR!!!

Knee to the jaw!!!

That thing!!!!


ART ATTACK
Your armor

Guillotine choke!!

To have my head taken... so I was the one being read!?

If he takes it, I'll be reversed!!!!

Senpai, finish him with this!!

This is a battle of wills!!

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I want to win

The one with the stronger will

Win!

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Like that person, with not a single scratch!!!

If I lose here... I won't be able to become perfect!

Yotsuyu, you worked hard.

Sister is amazing!!!!

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Wow, a perfect score!

Yotsuyu is a genius. Your parents must be proud.

Yotsuyu-chan, you're amazing!!

Yay, S!!ster!

First place!!! Misono Girls Elementary's Yotsuyu Naito!!!

I can't lose!

I can't lose.

I can brag about you to everyone!!!

I'm so glad we're friends, Yotsuyu-chan!!!!

I can't lose.

So, the goal is for Artemis to win?

As long as I don't lose?

If I lose, I won't be myself anymore

That's right.

Because that's me, Naito Yotsuya.

Th-thank you...

You're really strong!

That's why I want to win

And against you.

Against the King of the Underworld too!

AVAY

This is a battle of wills!!

Both give their all!

Goo

Mr. Naito, who wants to become the King of Hell

Mr. Minowa, who wants to surpass the King of Hell

Those who try to overcome

Victory

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!!

Match over~!!!

The one who conquered West Tokyo is the Grim Reaper

Toritsu Kuufu High School's Tatsuno Minowa!!!

So Minowa's pride won out, just barely.

It was a razor-thin match.

The Queen has finally fallen!!!!

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Minowa-san!!!

箕輪ー!!

Tatsuno!

Senpai!!

Minowa-san!!

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ドキドキ

Whaaaat!!

What is it? Come on in.

I'll do the drill in this state.

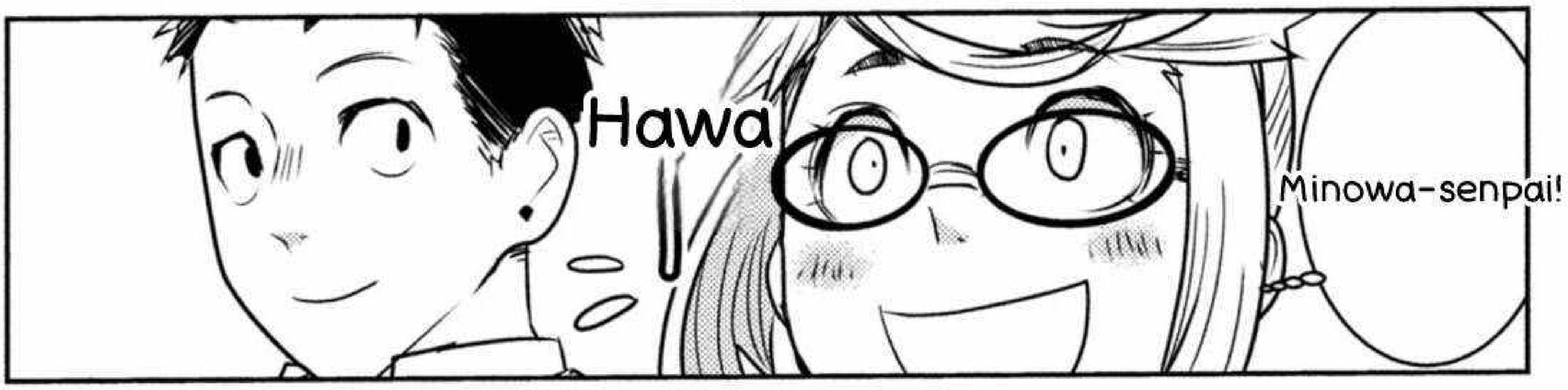
Yamachan, can I have some time?

It's okay, you can look around freely.

Haaara

I just wanted to peek a little, that's all!

It's time!
ehehe
That's great, Wakaba. You've gotten so good.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Minowa-senpai!

I'm relieved too.
Tatsuno-chan, you've really become quite the club president~
Okay, next! Keep it moving!

I want to join the club.

Wha!?

Oh, Kobutsu-kun, who is that?

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You're experienced, right? I can tell by the way your muscles are developed.

No, no, no, I'm not like that!!

What is it, are you here to challenge the dojo!?

Yow! N-n-n-no, it's not like that!

Huh? What, experienced?

How long have you been doing it?

No, well, um!!!

But it looks like you haven't skipped your workouts.

How is it, Kobutsu-kun?

My older sister did martial arts, so I did it with her until junior high school.

But there's no particular achievement... and furthermore, I injured my cervical spine...

Care will be necessary, but can you do it?

Then let's start with a menu that doesn't put a strain on your neck.

Huh?

B-b-but I don't know when my neck will explode again...!

I'm really weak-willed, inflexible, and have terrible eyesight.

Becoming a burden to everyone...

What about us is fine.

Just tell me what you want to do.

Maybe here... but I'm afraid it'll break again... but... but...

This

I want to! Because Minowa-senpai has recovered from her breakdown...

Because I like you!!

That's enough.

Let's do club activities together!
Come on
Kuwafu

Minowa Tatsuno

Height 163cm, Weight 57kg, Tokyo Metropolitan Kuwao High School, Martial Arts Club

12 Wins, 1 Loss

Competitor	Times Featured	Result
Ueda	17	O KO (Hook)
Shinanoi Chikuma	7	O KO (High Kick)
Omachi Azumi	17	*KO (Bounce)
Sakura Yachiyo	One-Shot	*Baseball Choke
?	L	*Rear Naked Choke
Machida Miwa	2	O KO (Hook)
Tatekawa Wakaba	3	*Rear Naked Choke
Hinohara Mizuho	4-5	*Bow and Arrow Choke
Saeki Aki	6	*Wrist Lock
Shinanoi Chikuma	7-8	O Shoulder Lock
Sumida Fumika	10-11	*Baseball Choke
Matsuura Kosasa	13-14	*KO (Knee Strike)
Naito Yotsuyo	17-19	*Guillotine Choke

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Fujita Kakuji

Even after a year, if it's your scythe, any neck will fall.

It's okay.

Go on, get out of here!

Well then,

You'll become a grim reaper.

I will again

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Red corner! All Japan Championship winner of the Nekoashi-ryu Karate Women's Division

Noda Animal Professional School, 1st year, Yashiyo Sakuraba!!

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Match 7!

2nd year student from Aono Corner, Toritsu Yonjinjo High School

Reaper Minowa Tatsuno!

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Chairman Azabu has also raised ARTEMIS& Koshien

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to national event status, and is a contributor to that.

I'm Azabu, the well-known beautiful doctor, hello!

Today, at the commentary booth,

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あざぶ

We have with us the chairman of the Burubi Surgical Group,!

I've been waiting for this child to come back for so long.

Although details are unknown, it is said there was a major malfunction.

I want more praise~

WB

It's only been two battles, but

Despite only two battles, many of you may have a vivid impression of them.

Well... now, Minowa-san, this is your comeback match after a year, isn't it?

Expectations are high for a decisive KO ending between the new and old striking heroines!

Both matches ended in KO wins with knockouts via striking.

Isn't his nickname 'Grim Reaper,' Kōtari?

Congratulations on your comeback, Grim Reaper Senpai! Osu!

I won nationals in karate, but I started MMA after watching your matches, Senpai!

Let's go all out and punch each other!

I wanted to fight that Grim Reaper someday!

Please train hard in rehab at the hospital again! Osu!

But you know, I'm on a 3-KO streak right now!

I heard you were injured and was so sad...

Huh?

I'll go to the cake buffet for you.

Tatsuno! I forgot to tell you something important.

That's why!

You can't gain weight because you'll have another match right after winning, right?

See? You get a free ticket every time with the winner's prize.

I'm always relying on Yama-chan for rehab and practice too.

Understood. I promise.

I'll make sure to come hungry!

I'm only thinking about Tatsuno winning!

Go all out and fight each other!

Even if you get beaten to a pulp, we'll patch you up nicely at our hospital.

Women should be strong and beautiful!

OH

GO AHEAD!

AIIGHT

Aaaah!!

Nice kick!

Amazing!

Sakura is incredible!

Whoa!

This is for the comeback match!

This might be a tough opponent!

Sakura unleashes her signature barrage of punches!

Minowa is on the defensive, I don't see any sign of the Grim Reaper.

Is the year-long break really that significant!?

It looks like there are no specific instructions from the corner!

This...!

Why...!

He's not coming!

That was close!

Yamachan!

The crowd booed the unusual match from 'Grim Reaper'!

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Mr. Minowa is given a verbal warning for his passive play.

Minowa!

Just like practice! Let's keep going like this!

Tatsuno! Don't worry about it!

Fight!

Don't mess with me!!!!!

What do you mean 'grim reaper'!

Stand up and fight!!!!!

Minowa-senpai, he sat down on his own accord!!!!

Wh-what did you say!!!!!

You mean I don't even need to throw a punch!?

Facing me

It's okay

Just like we practiced

Many times we practiced

Yo-nachan

Don't you dare underestimate me!!!!!

Is this a death-defying jump from here!?

They took the mount all at once!

No... what is this!?

J... What is this!?
A triangle choke!!!!
An unexpected submission move I never showed before leaving!!!!!

Sakura-senpai She narrowly missed!

The Grim Reaper... he missed on purpose!

No... that was

くそっ

I see

Me...

He's testing me!!

Don't mess with me!

Tap

Sorry, Sakura-san.

I can't...

Ha

That's whyyyy...

I can't hit anything.

Ha

Absolutely!!!

That face

I'll punch you!

10 seconds!! Stop

Tatsuno!!!

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New
scythe!

To master this?

Did you let them go first on purpose?

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Sakura, thank you. You were really strong.

I've gained confidence from winning.

The Grim Reaper has returned!

Transform into a new fighting style!

All right!!!

Tatsuno!!!

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Yama-chan and the sharpened sickle

It, cut!

I've been waiting!

This is going to be interesting!